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CONGRESS LIKELY TO BAR FURTHER DELAYS IN HOUSE REAPPORTIONMENT

Fenn Bill Provides That if Legislation Is Defeated Automatic Action Will Follow 1930 Census.

13,000,000 DENIED REPRESENTATION NOW

Some of Chief Nullificationists in Last 8 Years Have Been Drys From the Country Districts.

By RAYMOND P. BRANDT,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—After nullifying the Constitution for eight years by failing to reapportion membership of the House, in accordance with the 1920 census, Congress is about to act on a proposal which would make a repetition of this national scandal impossible after the 1930 census has been taken.

The anomaly of a Congress legislating for the entire country and at the same time ignoring the constitutional provision that "Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several states according to their respective numbers," has been so manifest that administration leaders have insisted that some action be taken at this short session.

Prospects are bright for enactment of the Fenn bill, which makes reapportionment, in accordance with the 1930 census, automatic and obligatory.

Chief Nullificationists Drys.

The Fenn bill was defeated last session by a close vote. Some of the principal nullificationists are dry members, who hold up their hands in horror when nullification of the eighteenth amendment is mentioned. These members are from country districts which will be greatly altered, if not absorbed, in the redistricting. Meantime, they are helping to deprive more than 13,000,000 persons of adequate representation. Except for the present decade, a reapportionment bill has been passed every 10 years as directed by the Constitution. In every instance the reapportionment came within two years after the taking of the census.

The last reapportionment was made in 1911, on the basis of the 1910 census. This allocated 435 members among the 48 states to represent 91,641,197 persons. The population in 1920, excluding the District of Columbia, where the residents have no vote, was 105,-771,200.

13,000,000 Without Representation.

Commenting on this situation, the majority report on the Fenn bill said "clearly this indicates that failure to pass a reapportionment act since 1911 has left 13,631,853 people without fair and equitable representation in Congress. The founders of our government would have been amazed at a situation in which a population, three times the population which existed at the time of the adoption of the Constitution, is denied fair and equitable representation in the House of Representatives.

"If this dangerous precedent—failure to reapportion—were repeated in 1930-31 approximately 51,000,000 people would be legislated for without having fair and equitable representation in what is considered the most representative legislative body in the world.

"Efforts were made in the Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh Congresses to enact reapportionment legislation, but without success. The long honored tradition, therefore, has been broken for the first time and creates a precedent which is fraught with serious consequences.

"The committee is strongly of the opinion that the failure to reapportion is a violation of the spirit, if not of the letter, of the Constitution. It holds the view that no section of the Constitution is more fundamental to our government than this section. Without its observance, representative government becomes a sham."

Rural Members Block Action.

Why has Congress deliberately refused to reapportion the House membership in accordance with the 1920 census? The reasons are many, but the principal one is that country members, with undue power, have been able to block passage of the required legislation.

The history of the unsuccessful legislative efforts is short and tragic. After the Director of the Census had submitted total population figures, as of Jan. 1, 1920, the House Committee on the Cen-

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HOPELESSLY LOST IN CAVE, GEOLOGIST HANGS HIMSELF

Professor, Missing Two Months, Found Dead by Youths Exploring Cavern Near Salzburg, Austria—Left Note Explaining Plight.

By the Associated Press.

VIENNA, Dec. 29.—A tale of devotion by a scientist to his calling, resulting finally in his death, came today from the little town of Eisenerz near Salzburg. Prof. Franz Ratschuler of the Salzburg Technical Academy, a geologist, disappeared two months ago.

Today two youths exploring a deep cavern in Eisenerz found the Professor's body, a rope around the neck and an extinguished candle in one hand.

His light apparently had gone out and he had lost his way while examining the geologic formation in the cave. The authorities think he must have grouped about in the darkness for at least three days and nights in seeking a way out because his body was greatly emaciated.

Realizing finally that he was hopelessly lost, the Professor took the rope with which he had lowered himself into the cave, fastened a loop about his neck and hanged himself from a projecting rock.

He left the following note: "This is a last farewell to my dear wife and child. I see nothing but darkness and death in front of me. I cannot be saved. This cavern must be my coffin. Good by."

His family buried him today near the spot where he died.

10 PERSONS KILLED IN CROSSING CRASHES

Children of Automobile Executives Victims of Accident in Kenosha, Wis.

By the Associated Press.

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 29.—Four young people, members of prominent Kenosha families are dead and several more in hospitals here, as a result of a crash of two automobiles and a Chicago and Northwestern train tonight.

The dead are: Ferrin Alford, son of W. H. Alford, vice president of the Nash Motors Co.; Lowell Smith, high school student and son of A. B. Smith, also an officer of the Nash Motor Co.; Alice Judd, daughter of Clark Judd, vice president of the American Brass Co.; Mary Slater, granddaughter of Municipal Judge John C. Slater.

The young people, all of high school age, had gone on a "treasure hunt" after attending a party at the home of Mr. Blair. They left in eight cars.

A passing freight train delayed them at the Seventy-fifth street crossing of the Northwestern road here. Eager to lead in the chase, the automobiles began to cross the tracks immediately after the freight had cleared.

The first automobile, driven by Don Travis, Jr., son of Don Travis, vice president of the Simmons Bed Co., got across safely, but the next two cars were struck by another train on the other track. One of the cars was driven by Richard Hastings. Hastings was injured. Others were Jane Blair, daughter of James Blair, cashier of the First National bank; Alice Gephert, daughter of a local doctor, and Gilford Hagmann, son of ao banker.

Man, Wife and Four Children Killed at Okmulgee, Ok.

By the Associated Press.

OKMULGEE, Ok., Dec. 29.—Six persons were killed outright and one injured possibly fatally when a motor car in which they were riding was struck at a grade crossing by a St. Louis and San Francisco passenger train, five miles south of Okmulgee, late today.

Claude Crowe of Shawnee Ok., his wife and four of their five children who were with them were killed by the impact of the train, which bore the motor car half a mile down the tracks before it could be stopped. The other child, a daughter about 5 years old, was brought to a hospital here in critical condition.

The train was running from Okmulgee toward Ada.

PRESIDENT OF MEXICO PLANS CAMPAIGN AGAINST LIQUOR

Portes Gil Hopes to Distract People From Alcohol by Educational Program.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 29.—President Emilio Portis Gil believes that prohibition would benefit Mexico, but he will attempt to wean the people from alcoholic beverages by distraction and education rather than by a sudden and severe law, he told the foreign press correspondents today.

The President said that while he favored eventual enactment of a prohibition law, he did not think the country could be changed from a wet to a drw nation overnight.

He plans a national program of popular entertainment, stimulating the taste of the people for music, sports and other clean diversion.

He pointed out his accomplishments during his three months and a half as Governor of the State of Tamaulipas in separating the people from intoxiating liquors. He asserted that the drink habit was practically eliminated in the petroleum fields and small towns and greatly diminished in larger cities.

Head of Foster-Milburn Co. Dies

By the Associated Press.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Orrin E. Foster, president of the Foster-Milburn Co., manufacturers and distributors of proprietary medicines, died suddenly tonight.

METHOD OF MAKING BLOOD INGREDIENT FOUND BY SCIENTIST

German's Discovery After 17 Years' Work Considered Important to Medicine.

By the Associated Press.

MUNICH, Bavaria, Dec. 29.—The Neueste Nachrichten says that Prof. Hans Fischer of the Technical College in Munich has informed the Chemical Society that he has succeeded in producing synthetically the important ferruginous components of hemoglobin. The discovery is hailed as a scientific achievement of the first rank.

Prof. Fischer worked 17 years on the chemical structure of hemoglobin, which is the part of the red blood corpuscle that carries oxygen from the lungs.

It is considered the discovery may prove of great value in treatment of cases of gas poisoning and toxic diseases affecting the respiratory organs, providing its administration is technically possible and is not dangerous. The cost of production artificially of this colored matter in the blood is said to be high, but the achievement is regarded of high scientific importance.

URGES DEATH FOR THOUSANDS TO ENFORCE PROHIBITION ACT

Woman Entrant in Durant Contest Suggests U. S. Distribute Poisoned Liquor Through Bootleggers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Tortures varying form a dose of castor oil to flogging and the electric chair, from a "seasick machine" to exile at St. Helena, are some of the means by which citizens of the United States would enforce prohibition. The suggestions are contained in the plans submitted for the W. C. Durant $25,000 prize for the most practical plan of prohibition enforcement.

Though it kept secret their names and, in most cases, their sex, the committee today disclosed a few of these suggestions. One unnamed contestant, a Southern woman, wrote that the Government should distribute poisoned liquor through the bootleggers. "Only a few hundred thousand persons would die," she declared, "and it would be worth it to get prohibition enforcement."

Quite humane by contrast were the suggestions of "Expatriation to St. Helena, no boats, no mail," and of the "seasick machine," which would whirl drinkers and bootleggers around until they thought they were sailing to Europe.

FAIR, SLIGHTLY WARMER TODAY; COLDER TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

12 noon	35	7 p. m.	35
1 p. m.	36	8 p. m.	33
2 p. m.	38	9 p. m.	32
3 p. m.	37	10 p. m.	*32
4 p. m.	36	11 p. m.	34
5 p. m.	35	12 midnight	
6 p. m.	34	1 a. m.	*34

*Indicates street reading.

Yesterday's high 38 12 p. m.; low 34 5 a. m.



Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair and slightly warmer today; tomorrow partly cloudy and somewhat colder.

Missouri: Mostly fair, slightly warmer today; tomorrow partly cloudy to cloudy; colder in north and central portions.

Illinois: Fair today; increasing cloudiness in north portion, slightly warmer; mostly unsettled tomorrow, possibly snow or rain in north portion.

This Week's Weather Outlook.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday: For the upper Mississippi and lower Missouri Valleys—Precipitation near beginning of week and again by middle or close; frequent alterations in temperature.

GOVERNMENT SUES SINCLAIR FIRMS FOR OIL PROFITS

Begins Action at Wilmington, Del., Against Mammoth and Crude Purchasing Companies.

ABOUT 20,000,000 BARRELS INVOLVED

Repeats Charge of Conspiracy With Fall to Defraud U. S. in Salt Creek (Wyo.) Leases.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — The Department of Justice announced tonight that it had instituted suit against the Sinclair Crude Oil Producing Co. and the Mammoth Oil Co., in the United States District Court at Wilmington, Del., to recover profits the corporations made through the purchase of royalty oil in the Salt Creek, Wyo., field.

The Government asks for an accounting of all "Gains and Profits" made from sale of approximately 20,000,000 barrels of oil, and that the contracts under which the oil was delivered be cancelled.

The contracts for the sale of the Royalty oil in the Salt Creek Field were left to Harry F. Sinclair, organizer of the Mammoth Oil Co., by former Secretary of the Interior, Albert B. Fall. The contracts were renewed last February by Secretary Work but were canceled a short time ago by Secretary West, who acted on the opinion of Attorney General Sargent that they were invalid because of a clause providing for their renewal.

In the suit filed at Wilmington the Government did not name Sinclair or Fall as parties because it is a suit in equity and neither of them lives in the district where the suit is brought. It charges, that Sinclair and Fall conspired to defraud the Government of its royalty oil through the awarding of the contract to Sinclair and to defraud the Government of its right to "honest and conscientious services of its officers" and of its right to have its business conducted honestly by the Secretary of the Interior.

The Government's brief says that Fall and Sinclair knew that the conspiracy required "a wilful and deliberate violation by Fall of the laws of the United States and of the trust and confidence reposed in him by virtue of his position of Secretary of the Interior."

U. S. Prosecutors Ask Full Ruling by Supreme Court of Appeals.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — The Supreme Court was asked to pass on all phases of the appeal of Harry F. Sinclair from his conviction of a misdemeanor for refusing to answer questions of a Senate committee in a motion filed today by Owen J. Roberts and Atlee Pomerene, special Government counsel.

The motion asked the court to take this course instead of answering five questions asked by the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, before which the Sinclair appeal is now pending, for its guidance in considering certain phases of the case.

The Government motion pointed out that speed in the administration of justice as well as economy of effort of both the highest court and of counsel would be served by passing on the entire case, instead of considering only certain phases of it.

Predicting that Sinclair would ultimately endeavor to bring the entire case before the Supreme Court should the Court of Appeals decide against him, the motion said it would "require but little more labor and search on the part of the court to take up and consider the entire record in this case." Even should the Supreme Court answer the questions in a way favorable to the Government, there are other points on which Sinclair would seek a review by the highest tribunal, the motion added. It contended that the record sent up by the Court of Appeals in connection with its five questions was incomplete and did not contain all the facts upon which the case must eventually be decided.

SANDINO REPORTED ACTIVE

Honduras Paper Says He Plans Great Offensive.

By the Associated Press.

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Dec. 29.—The local newspaper El Democrata today publishes a long article that Augustino Sandino is about to launch a great offensive in a desperate effort to gain control of Nicaragua.

It is said that the residents are fleeing from Neuva Segovia and nearby territory.

COOLIDGE TRIES TWICE BUT FAILS TO HIT A DEER

President's Aid, Col. Latrobe, Gets Only Buck Shot by Party of Five on Sapelo Island.

BEATERS SCARE UP THE ANIMALS

Movies and Sound Pictures Record the Executive's Ride in Primitive Bullock Cart.

By the Associated Press.

SAPELO ISLAND, BRUNSWICK, Ga., Dec. 29.—President Coolidge, who is here with his wife as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Coffin, had his first taste of deer hunting today. Accompanied by Col. Osmun Latrobe and Capt. Wilson Brown, his military and naval aides, Col. Starling of the White House secret service, and Alfred W. Jones of Brunswick, he stationed himself at the edge of a broad clearing, while beaters, crashing through the underbrush, drove the deer within range.

Five deer were seen by the party, and five shots were fired. Col. Latrobe scored the only hit, and dropped a fine buck. Mr. Coolidge, although he fired twice, failed to get a deer.

Coffin took occasion to correct an erroneous report from the Coffin home that Mrs. Coolidge had bagged six pheasants on her hunting trip with Mrs. Edward Varey, wife of a nephew of Coffin. While the ladies fired several shots, Coffin said, they hit nothing.

Bareback Rodeo.

In the afternoon the young descendants of African slaves brought to America in the early days of the slave trade rounded up a number of cattle on the broad smooth beach on the seaward side of Sapelo Island.

Contrasting sharply with the cowboy riders in the similar spectacles the President witnessed in South Dakota two years ago, the Negroes rode bareback. A point down the beach was fixed as a goal and a rider who first reached the mark still astride his mount was the winner.

Meanwhile groups of Negro girls on the beach sang spirituals.

A turtle race was another feature of the program.

Throughout the afternoon Mrs. Coolidge wandered about from group to group with her motion picture camera, making friends with the youngsters and taking their pictures.

Then Mr. Coolidge, at the insistence of cameramen, donned his hunting togs and his broad-brimmed cowboy hat and the party tramped into the woods, where the motion picture men photographed the President taking pot shots at trees and other targets.

Rides in Bullock Cart.

First-hand experience with the primitive transportation of the native islanders was afforded the President on the return trip to the Coffin home, when the party met a tiny bullock cart. Mr. Coolidge and his host climbed into the cart and were taken on a short jolting ride, while Col. Starling brought up the rear. A group of news photographers ground away as the President and Coffin thumped over the uneven ground in the ox-cart. The President's discussion with Coffin of the feasibility of putting a tax on hay eaten by the oxen was recorded for the talking motion pictures.

Tomorrow the President will attend services at historical old Christ Church at Frederica, on St. Simon's Island, pay a friendly call at the plantation of Charles S. Barrett on Point Peter and proceed on the yacht Zapala to Coffin's hunting lodge and game preserve on the mainland. An oyster roast and wild turkey dinner is planned for the guests at the lodge, where they will spend Sunday night in preparation for an early morning hunt Monday. Monday afternoon Mr. Coolidge will return to St. Simon's Island to dedicate the "Coolidge oak," an offshoot of the famous old tree which furnished timber for the keel of the frigate "Constitution."

At 9 p. m. Monday President Coolidge talking into a telephone at Coffin's Sapelo Island home, will deliver a short New Year's greeting over a national radio broadcasting chain.

Unprecedented Fog in Berlin.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 29. — Berlin today rivaled London as a city of fog. For decades no such fog has been known as was observable today not only in the capital but also throughout the republic. Numerous minor collisions and accidents resulted from the unusual conditions, but there were no casualties.

Where Coolidges Will Greet the New Year



—Wide World Photo.

A SNAPSHOT of the President and Mrs. Coolidge arriving at the home of Howard E. Coffin on Sapelo Island, off the Georgia coast, where they intend to remain for a brief holiday.

$879 TAKEN IN HOLDUP OF OVERLAND STORE

Two Men Intimidate Three and Carry Off Week's Receipts—Other Robberies.

Charles A. Fritz reported to county authorities that two armed men entered his grocery store at 9200 Lackland road, Overland, at 7 o'clock last night, robbed him of $879, receipts for a week, and escaped in an automobile.

One of the men covered Fritz and two clerks with a revolver while the other rifled the cash register. The loss is insured.

When Orville Hart, chauffeur for Joseph Rapp, a grocer of 3905 Folsom avenue, stepped in his truck after making a delivery at 3961 Blaine avenue at 7 o'clock two men jumped on the running board, forced him to drive three blocks west, and robbed him of $185 and a packet of checks. They escaped on foot.

Samuel Yawitz reported to police that an armed man entered his cleaning and dyeing establishment at 916 Whittier street at 5 p. m., forced him into a rear room, tied his hands and feet with rope, and robbed him of $20 and a watch valued at $50.

An armed man entered a Kroger store at 3165 North Eleventh street at 6 o'clock, covered Chester Danz, the manager, with a pistol, and took $40 from the cash register.

As Arthur Lewis, chauffeur for the Taylor Market, 900 North Taylor avenue, was returning to his truck after making a delivery at 4547 Enright avenue at 7 o'clock an armed man robbed him of $25.

MOTHER OF DOROTHY ARNOLD, WHO VANISHED IN 1910, DIES

Widow of Importer Succumbs at 72—No Trace of Daughter Ever Found.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — Mrs. Mary Martha Parks Arnold, 72-year-old mother of Dorothy Arnold, whose disappearance 18 years ago resulted in a world-wide search that failed to disclose any trace, died at her Park avenue home today.

On Dec. 12, 1910, Dorothy Arnold, daughter of Francis Rose Arnold, wealthy importer, vanished from her home. The parents believed almost from the first that their daughter had died, but still the uncertainty remained and the search extended far beyond the borders of this country. Not the slightest clew was ever found as to what occurred to the girl.

Both father and mother suffered in health. The father was the first to die and Mrs. Arnold's death today came after a long illness.

COOLIDGE ON AIR TOMORROW

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Columbia Broadcasting System announced today that President Coolidge would extend a New Year's greeting over the air on Monday night at 9 o'clock, from Sapelo Island, Georgia.

KMOX will be on the hookup.

SIN IS A SUPERSTITION SCIENTIST DECLARES

Prof. Barnes Would Supplant Theology With Mental Hygiene.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Sin has been relegated by science "into the limbo of ancient superstitions," Prof. Harry Elmer Barnes of Smith College declared today in an appeal for a new view of life in place of old theological dogma.

"Not only must the objectives of human life be reduced to a secular plane, but we may now definitely enunciate and defend 'the right to be happy,'" he told members of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

He conceded that many acts hitherto branded as sinful may be socially harmful, but insisted that "such action should be scientifically rechristened as immoral and criminal."

As the foundation of the new order, he said, "we must supplant theology by mental hygiene," and take into account the knowledge provided by science and the discoveries of astronomy which have shown that, instead of man being "lord of all creation," and the earth the center of the universe, he is only a "temporary chemical episode" on "a celestial juvenile and cosmic dwarf."

"Modern science, especially mental hygiene, has indicated the desirability of freeing ourselves from the inferiority complex and the fears and worries which are prescribed for the faithful fundamentalist Christian," he said. Much better is the ancient Greek ideal of serenity and self-confidence.

"Likewise, the Christian solemnity should be replaced by the frank joy of life. A sharp distinction must be made between solemnity and seriousness, the absence of this differentiation being one of the chief defects of contemporary civilization, particularly the civilization of Anglo-Saxon peoples.

"If these conclusions regarding the desirability of an exclusively secular outlook are correct, then the practical and detailed guidance to the achievement of the 'good life' must be sought in the sciences of nature and of man and not in supernatural revelation or theological dogmas."

EGG MARKET IN COLLAPSE

28 Cents a Dozen for Refrigerator Brand at Chicago Low Record.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—A new low-price record for the year for December delivery of refrigerator eggs was established yesterday at 28 cents a dozen, and an all-time record was made when the decline previously this week amounted to more than 6 cents, equivalent to a loss of more than $700 a car.

The collapse of the market has apparently resulted from the fact that a small group of traders accepted delivery of more refrigerator eggs than they could finance. An exceptionally weak cash market for fresh eggs helped to break prices. Eggs sold today at the following prices: Fresh eggs, 32c; special eggs, 43c to 49c; cold storage eggs, 25c to 36c.

KING PASSES QUIET DAY; CONTINUES SLOW GAINS

Doctors' Bulletin Reassures Public After Disquieting News Given Out Several Days Ago.

TOO EARLY TO USE MEDICINE FROM U. S.

Physicians Deny Report That Blood Transfusions Will Be Tried — Many Volunteers at Palace.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Favorable reports of the condition of King George were issued today and confirmed by tonight's medical bulletin. The latter announced that the monarch had passed a restful day and indicated he had continued the tediously slow rate of improvement. Its text was:

The King has had a quiet day. The slow improvement noted this morning continues. No bulletin will be issued until tomorrow evening.

The reassurance thus given to the watchful public was strengthened by the absence from the palace tonight of the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary. The heir to the throne exhibited his optimistic attitude by following the hounds at Melton Mowbray. On receiving cheerful information from the royal sick room, he canceled his plan to return to London tonight and remained in the Midlands.

Princess Goes to Leeds.

Princess Mary, who has been at the palace almost constantly since early in the King's illness, left the royal residence tonight to rejoin her husband, Viscount Lascelles. He and their two sons, George and Gerald, have been spending the holidays with the Viscount's parents at Leeds.

The Duke and Duchess of York dined at the palace with Queen Mary tonight, having returned today from Naseby Hall in Northamptonshire.

The flurry which arose today over the question of a possible blood transfusion appears to be without any real connection with the treatment of the King, but it caused much inconvenience at the palace by the overwhelming number of volunteers offering their blood and with hundreds of inquiries. It is stated authoritatively that the doctors in attendance have not considered this treatment.

To Try New Medicine.

It is understood that the measures adopted for augmenting the strength of the patient relate to a new course of medicine. The King is not yet in condition for possible use to be made of the Dakin's solution sent from Pittsburg, Pa.

Today's bulletins have done much to allay the renewed alarm occasioned by the disquieting bulletin of Thursday, but it is well recognized that anxiety still continues and that the great duration of the sickness places a heavy burden on the forces working for recovery.

Six physicians were at the palace tonight. Besides the usual three, Dr. Graham Hodgson, radiologist, was called and Dr. Howitt and Dr. Woods were in attendance to administer the ultra-violet ray treatment. Lord Dawson of Penn was the last to go, leaving the palace at 9:15.

It was noted that a restful day for the patient was reported last evening, and this was followed by a quiet night which was announced in this morning's bulletin. This rest, it was assumed, contributed helpfully to the improvement now recorded, which, however, was emphasized as very slight.

Slight Change for Better.

The King's physicians today issued this bulletin:

The King has had a quiet night and there is a very slight change for the better in his condition.

It was generally felt today that the margin of safety for the King continued to be very narrow. The report of the maintenance of a slight improvement has done little to allay the anxiety generally felt over the los sof strength on Thursday.

Some of the views of medical writers in the morning newspapers of the King's position were very gloomy. The medical expert of the Daily Mail said today that recently the King had not made progress but "at best he was just holding his own and there had been considerable periods of uncon-

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HOOVER STUDIES AIR SERVICE IN LATIN AMERICA

His Interest in Development of This Means of Quick Transport Meets Ready Response.

JOLLY NEW YEAR'S ON SHIP PLANNED

Dinner and Reception in Honor of President-Elect and Wife Chief Feature of Program.

By the Associated Press.

ABOARD U. S. S. UTAH, Dec. 29.—A jolly shipboard New Year's celebration was planned today by members of President-elect Hoover's party, officers of the Utah and newspaper correspondents.

One feature is to be a dinner and a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hoover.

The vessel today was four or five degrees north of the equator, 700 miles to the east of the coast of French Guiana. Tropical weather continues with north-east trade winds. It was very hot below decks, but there was abundant ventilation, and on deck awnings protected the Hoover party from the sun. Intermittent rains have made the passage of the equatorial region agreeable.

2771 Miles From Home Port.

The Utah's position Saturday noon was 4:29 north latitude and 40:17 west longitude, 2771 miles from Hampton Roads.

The President-elect will land at Hampton Roads before noon, Sunday, Jan. 6, and according to present plans will take a special train at 2 o'clock that afternoon, arriving at Washington about 7 o'clock the same night. When he ends his trip Hoover will have traveled more than 18,200 miles.

In the early morning the ship ran through fog for about an hour and all day the skies were overcast. The sea was gray and choppy. Flying fish and porpoises were sighted from time to time, and occasionally schools of Portuguese Men-of-War, tropical fish with queer sail-like appendages hoisted above the water, were seen.

Latin-America in the Air.

Development of air transportation between the United States and South America is one of the matters in which Hoover has interested himself largely throughout the Latin-American tour.

His interest found an instant response on the part of Government officials in all the countries visited, but it was appreciated that there were serious difficulties to be overcome before reliable international air service could be developed. Plans were discussed that would bring Washington within 72 hours of Lima, Peru, and within four days of Buenos Aires, as compared to the 12 or 14 days at present required by the fastest steamers.

The major air routes proposed were one down the west coast of South America and another down the east coast direct from the United States via Cuba.

East Coast Line Difficult.

The east coast line presents the greatest difficulties because of the vast stretch of practically uninhabited land in Brazil which must be crossed unless the line of the coast is followed. In Hoover's opinion, after consulting available maps there would be little difficulty in establishing a service along Venezuela and the Guianas, but once the border of Brazil is reached the difficulties would begin and might prove insurmountable.

Peru is already developing air lines, and air service is in operation in Colombia and Bolivia.

Atop the New Courthouse



—By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

Congress Likely to Bar Reapportionment Delay

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sus reported a bill providing that after March, 1923, the House should be composed of 483 members, instead of 435. Under this apportionment, no State would have lost a member.

The House, after amending the bill to keep the membership at 435, passed it in January, 1921, but the Senate failed to act upon it before the close of the session.

In the next Congress, the House Committee reported another bill providing for 460 members, under which Missouri and Maine would have lost one Representative each. A futile effort was made to amend this bill to keep the House at its present size and eventually the bill was sent back to committee. No further action was taken by the committee during that session.

House Declines to Act.

In the next Congress, the Sixty-eighth, the committee did not report a bill.

During the Sixty-ninth Congress an effort was made from the floor of the House to make reapportionment a privileged question and discharge the committee from consideration of a reapportionment bill. By a vote of 87 yeas and 265 nays, the House determined that consideration of the bill was not in order.

On March 3, 1927, a motion was made to suspend the rules and pass a reapportionment bill, providing that after March 3, 1933, the House should be composed of 435 members. This motion was defeated by a vote of 187 yeas and 199 nays.

Chairman E. Hart Fenn of Connecticut introduced the present bill in April, 1928. After considerable debate it was ordered recommitted to the committee by a vote of 186 to 164.

Would Force Reapportionment.

The Fenn bill seeks to prevent a repetition of the present situation, by providing that the Secretary of Commerce shall submit to Congress with the 1930 population figures a tabulation showing how many Representatives each state would have with membership of the House limited to 435. If Congress should fail to act, as it did during the years following 1920, the Clerk of the House would be empowered to notify each state executive of the number of Representatives to which that state was entitled. In the event of failure by any of the affected states to lay out new districts, the Representatives would be elected at large.

By the bill Congress reserves to itself the right to make the reapportionment at any time it sees fit to do so. It is only if Congress should fail in its duty that the provision for automatic reapportionment would go into effect, and it would remain effective only until action by Congress.

By a coincidence, the margin by which the Fenn bill was defeated was 22 votes, while the number of members affected by the bill was 23. In general, the city members voted for the Fenn bill and the country members voted against it. (The minority report on the bill was signed by seven members of the Census Committee.)

Minority From Affected States.

It may be another coincidence that, with one exception, all the minority members came from states which would lose representation under the Fenn bill. The ranking member of the minority was J. E. Rankin of Mississippi, which would lose two members under the Fenn bill. Others of the minority were Arthur H. Greenwood, Indiana; Ralph F. Lozier, Missouri; Samuel Rutherford, Georgia; Henry D. Morgan, Kentucky; James M. Fitzpatrick, New York, and Rene L. Derouen, Louisiana.

Indiana would lose two Representatives under the Fenn bill; Missouri, three; Kentucky, two; New York, one, and Louisiana, one. Georgia would not lose.

These losses were calculated on an estimated population of 123,000,000 for 1930 and limitation of the House to 435 members. The other losses would be as follows:

Alabama	1	North Dakota	1
Iowa	2	Pennsylvania	1
Kansas	1	Tennessee	1
Maine	1	Vermont	1
Massachusetts	1	Virginia	1
Nebraska	1		

The total loss among the 17 states affected would be 23 members.

These 23 members would be allocated to the following states:

Arizona	1	New Jersey	2
California	6	North Carolina	1
Connecticut	1	Ohio	3
Florida	1	Oklahoma	1
Michigan	4	Texas	2
		Washington	1

The committee pointed out that these reallocations were based on rough estimates of population for 1930 and that the actual enumeration might make some small differences.

Unwieldly at Present Size.

In answering the minority views, the majority emphasized that the apportionment would not be made by the Secretary of Commerce, unless Congress itself failed to act after the population figures had been submitted. No reply was given to the minority view that the bill proposed "to arbirtrarily fix the size of the House at 435 members." As a matter of fact, the House is already unwieldly at its present size. Speaker Longworth, in a letter to Fenn, has flatly opposed any increase in the membership.

Apart from the denial of fair representation to more than 13,000,000 persons, the failure to reapportion created a dangerous possibility in the 1924 and 1928 presidential elections.

The Constitution provides that each state's representation in the Electoral College shall be equal to the number of its Senators and Representatives. Obviously, inequitable representation in the House reflects itself in the Electoral College.

Had the House been reapportioned in accordance with the 1920 census, 11 states would have lost 12 members in the House and a like number of electors in the Electoral College. For instance, Missouri has had two Representatives and two electors which it would not have had if a reapportionment had been made after 1920.

The 12 members now representing the 11 states would have been allocated to states whose population greatly increased between 1910 and 1920, notably California and Michigan.

Effect on Presidential Elections.

Although it did not happen in the presidential elections of 1924 and 1928, it is easily conceivable that those two elections might have been very close, so close in fact, that two or three electoral votes would have determined the result. Thus Missouri, with its over-representation, through the failure of Congress to reapportion, might have had the controlling votes. In such a case the country might have been plunged into another Hayes-Tilden muddle.

If no reapportionment is made after 1930, the 1932 presidential election will face the same dangerous possibility.

As might be expected, the greatest pressure for reapportionment has come from states which would receive the representation promised them by the Constitution. House leaders have been reluctant in the past to demand that action be taken, but lately an aroused public opinion has forced them to declare themselves. The Fenn bill is the result.

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$56,845,000 to Run Chicago in 1929

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—It will cost about $56,845,000 to run the city of Chicago in 1929, the Council Finance Committee has decided. The budget is about $5,000,000 less than for 1928, the committee slashing an average of 3 per cent from all estimates submitted by the City Comptroller in an effort to eliminate the usual annual deficits. The committee voted against salary increases for any city employes.

HAS BILL FOR STATE POLICE

Senator Davis Prepares Measure Backed by Bankers.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 29.—A Statewide police force for Missouri will be proposed in a bill to be introduced in the approaching General Assembly by Manvel H. Davis, State Senator, and Everett R. Meyer, Representative from Jackson County. Charles M. Blackmar, attorney for several banks and others interested in the legislation, said the measure had the backing of bankers who believe the creation of a department of State police would aid materially in slowing down robbery.

Under its provisions, the Governor, with the approval of the Senate, would appoint a Superintendent of Police, who would be paid $4000 annually, two Deputy Superintendents at $3000 each and 25 police officers at $2000 each. The police would have Statewide jurisdiction and be empowered to follow and bring back fugitives from other States. Also such police would have the power of the Sheriffs, Coroners, Constables and other police officers and to make arrests without warrants for all violations they might witness.

Plane Rescued American Bride.

By the Associated Press.

SUPERIOR, Wis., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Carol Isaacson, one of the women rescued from Kabul, Afghanistan, by a British airplane, is the bride of Allen Isaacson, formerly of Superior, Wis. They were married in Manila in June and were on their way over a 32,000-mile land and sea route to visit Isaacson's parents in Superior.

CIVIL COURTS GRIFFINS PLACED ON BUILDING

Figures Are 11 1-2 Feet High and 385 Feet Above Sidewalk.

Pedestrians near the new Civil Courthouse can discern by craning their necks the massive symbolical figures, designated as griffins by the architects, which have been installed on top of the tall structure. From a distance or from the upper floors of nearby buildings they are plainly visible. The accompanying photograph was made with a telescopic lens from the roof of the Telephone Building.

The figures are constructed of aluminum, being hollow shells. Each is 20 feet long and 11½ feet high, and the tops of their heads are 385 feet and one inch above the Twelfth boulevard sidewalk. In mythology the griffin is a half eagle, half lion, but these have gaunt likenesses of the human face. The Memorial Plaza Commission regards these as symbolic only of watchfulness and guardianship.

One faces west and one faces east, and they recline back to back. The heavy pieces of metal, fabricated in eastern plants, were hoisted through a hole in the roof platform and in the picture the tip of a workman's ladder may be observed over the figure looking toward the river. The pyramidal structure shown is the roof of the courthouse, each "step" being several feet high.

On the breast of each figure is the fleur-de-lis of St. Louis. Together with the aluminum of the roof, the griffins comprise a huge lightning attractor, connected with the ground by concealed wires. There will be trapdoors in the backs of the figures, but the public will not be permitted to use this lofty perch.

KILLS HUSBAND AND HERSELF

Oklahoma City Woman's Act Said to Have Been Due to Jealousy.

By the Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Pat Bullard shot and killed her husband, Pat Bullard, and then took her own life in their downtown apartment here early tonight. "Jealousy" was given as the cause for the shooting by police.

Charles Gregory, who lived with the Bullard family, said he was lying on a couch when the Bullards came home. They went into another room, he said, and were talking. He heard a shot, and Mrs. Bullard ran from the room. He said she told him to "call a doctor quick, Charley. I've killed him." Gregory said he went to a telephone, but heard another shot. When he returned he found both dead.

Dr. Straton and Son Arrested.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Two motorcycle policemen set out after a speeding car on an outlying road here today thinking they were chasing bootleggers, but on halting it they found the Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, New York, as a passenger being driven by his son, John. The Stratons, who said they were hurrying to a religious meeting in Richmond, forfeited $10 in Traffic Court on the speeding charge. The police estimated their speed at 50 miles an hour.

Talking Contest Ends in Tie.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — The "talking tornado," transplanted from the Seventy-first Regiment Armory to a Forty-Second street dance hall, whispered through a feeble close tonight with eight of the original 30 contestants uttering subdued oratory at the finish. Betty Wilson, professional swimmer, and Howard Williams, steeplejack and flagpole sitter, finished in a tie, each with 97 hours of talk.

$1000 in Bonuses Given to Barbers

Adolph Merdinger, proprietor of the Rex, Century Building and Maryland Hotel barber shops, yesterday distributed Christmas bonuses amounting to about $1000 among 40 employes.

Killed When Auto Goes Into Ditch

By the Associated Press.

SEDALIA, Mo., Dec. 29.—Clarence Merk was killed and two companions suffered minor injuries this afternoon when their automobile went into a ditch south of Smithton, Mo.

HOHENTHAL HELD ON NEW WARRANT CHARGING MURDER

Original Accusation in Connection With Killing of Pearl Potoskey Dismissed, Another Substituted.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

DE SOTO, Mo., Dec. 29.—A few hours after a charge of second-degree murder against him in connection with the killing of Miss Pearl Potoskey had been dismissed today, Sol Hohenthal was rearrested on a similar charge. He gave a new bond of $10,000. Hohenthal is a wealthy retired merchant in whose apartment here Miss Potoskey, St. Louis beauty shop owner, was found slain Dec. 2.

Justice of the Peace Henry Harris dismissed the first charge at a preliminary hearing, holding that the evidence was insufficient. Thereupon Prosecuting Attorney McCormack hurried to Hillsboro and swore out another warrant charging second-degree murder.

McCormack, who will turn over his office to a successor on Tuesday, said he acted in the expectation that the grand jury would investigate the case next month.

Testimony at Hearing.

At the preliminary hearing, McCormack relied chiefly on the transcript of Hohenthal's voluntary testimony before the Coroner's jury, given before he was arrested in the case and when he did not have the status of a defendant. He had declared that no one but himself and Miss Potoskey had been in his apartment on the day she was found dead with a bullet wound in the head and a fractured skull.

The defense objected to the introduction of this transcript on the ground that Hohenthal had not been advised of his constitutional rights to decline to testify, and further because its use as evidence against him violated constitutional guarantees.

Two witnesses testified. Coroner Gibson, a physician, said that death was due to the bullet wound. Deputy Sheriff William Bates repeated the hitherto published statement that a revolver found beside the body was so rusty that it could not have been fired and probably had not been discharged for a long time.

Women Menace Hohenthal.

Because of the crowd of spectators, the hearing was conducted in the Knights of Pythias Hall. Mrs. Josephine Potoskey of St. Louis, the dead girl's mother, and Mrs. Pauline Hammel and Mrs. Annie Johnson, her sisters, sat in a front bench, weeping as the officials gathered. Hohenthal, impatiently awaiting the start of the hearing, paced up and down before them until they lunged hysterically toward him. They were restrained. Hohenthal paled and withdrew temporarily.

During the brief hearing, Prosecuting Attorney McCormack was assisted by Jerome Duggan of St. Louis, attorney for Miss Potoskey's family. Hohenthal was represented by State Senator P. S. Terry of Festus and Eugene Edgar.

When the charge was dismissed, automatically terminating Hohenthal's bond, the prosecutor ordered Sheriff Williams to rearrest Hohenthal, but the Sheriff declined to do so until the new warrant was issued.

U. S. ROAD AID, $73,125,000

Appointment for Next Fiscal Year Yields Missouri $2,392,021.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Apportionment of $73,125,000 to the states has been made by the Secretary of Agriculture as Federal aid in road construction for the fiscal year which begins next July. The funds will be expended in accordance with past procedure, the cost of construction on roads designated as part of the Federal system to be borne almost equally by the states and the Federal Government. During the last fiscal year improvements were completed on 8184 miles of Federal aid road which had not been previously improved, the Secretary of Agriculture announced in connection with the new apportionment. Advanced stages of improvement were completed on 2014 miles.

The apportionment by states includes: Missouri, $2,392,021; Illinois, $3,118,949; Arkansas, $1,284,382.

May McAvoy to Be Briton's Bride.

By the Associated Press.

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 29.—May McAvoy, motion picture star, last night announced her engagement to Maurice Cleary, manager of the British Dominion Film Co., which is making productions here. The wedding is to be in April.



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BYRD PARTY READY TO LAND SUPPLIES AT BAY OF WHALES

Blue White Haze Hangs Over Unknown Territory About Antarctic Base on Great Ice Barrier.

By RUSSELL OWEN.

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BAY OF WHALES, Dec. 28, (Delayed.)—(By wireless.)—Our future home for a year is ahead of us, shrouded in a haze that conceals the end of the bay. The ship is tied up on the bay ice, which is heavy and extends out many miles from Framheim, Roald Amundsen's old station, and the place near which the expedition expects to have winter quarters.

Commander Byrd, with Balchen, Petersen, Braathen, and two dog teams, driven by Walden and Vaughan, is going inland in two or three hours to try to find a site for the base and if possible to locate Framheim.

We reached here early this morning and found it was impossible to get more than a short distance into the bay, which usually is not clear of ice until about two weeks from now. But the weather is good, a strong tide or current is breaking off parts of the ice, continually, and it may be possible to take considerable material ashore even before the ice goes out altogether.

Barrier Low at Bay.

The dogs and sleds with a large amount of stores may be moved some time before we are able to get up to the barrier, which is very low at this point.

The dog drivers are busily packing sleds with food for a week, as well as tents and sleeping bags and a radio set, so that if the ship is forced to put out by a storm they will be able to get along comfortably until we return. The sleds are on the ice alongside the ship with men busily engaged in getting their gear together on them, and work ashore may be said to have actually started.

Everyone is elated at being here and also at the calm weather which has been predicted at the Bay of Whales, but of which we had been a little skeptical.

Haze Veils Unknown Land.

There is an unusual haze over the ice and it is impossible to see more than a few miles beyond that mysterious curtain of blue white where lies the tremendous territory which is to be explored.

It is about as forbidding today in this gray light as could be imagined. It is a cheerless place, grim enough to discourage the most ardent real estate auctioneer.

Commander Byrd expects to stay away for a day or two, and our activities for the next two weeks will depend largely upon what he learns of the ice conditions on his long trip inland. It will give the dog teams a chance to show what they can do, afford a test of equipment and also test means of communication by portable radio. And in the meantime, work on board ship is going on so that if it is decided to move as much ashore as possible over the bay ice, that work may be begun immediately upon the Commander's return.

Commander Byrd today appointed Larry Gould, the geologist, second in command down here, as Brophy, the second in command, is in New Zealand. Gould is popular on the ship and for the last week has been ready to supervise the unloading, which will be a difficult and possibly dangerous task if it is done on the bay ice.

KING PASSES QUIET DAY AND CONTINUES HIS SLOW PROGRESS

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sciousness. Hope that progress would continue until he had gained some of his lost strength has been deferred."

Solution Sent From U. S. Is for Irrigation of Wound.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—Dr. William O'Neill Sherman, chief surgeon of the Carnegie Steel Co., said today that Dakin's solution as made here is an electrolytic preparation of sodium hypochloride. Its great value is the irrigation of a wound or lesion with a constant flow of the solution.

"One of the greatest values in the American-made Dakin solution," said Dr. Sherman, "is the entire absence of caustic alkalis. Not only does our product contain the Dakin solution, as it is known, but into it is incorporated a saline solution that is especially beneficial in the treatment of wounds."

Dakin's solution was developed in the late war by Dr. Henry D. Dakin, a British research chemist, now a resident of this country, working in collaboration with Dr. Alexis Carrel, the famous French-American surgeon. It was found of particular value during the war in treating septic wounds and has been widely used in hospitals since.

Auto Racer Held for Bigamy.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 29. —William L. (Daredevil) Morris, endurance automobile driver known throughout the country, who was married before a large audience at a local theater Dec. 5, was arrested here today charged with bigamy. The warrant was sworn out by Myrtle Shelford Morris, wife No. 2, when she learned that her mate had another wife in Connecticut. Morris admitted he had married before, but said he thought his first wife had obtained a divorce. The prisoner told officers that his real name was Leroy Van Steinberg.

Many Liquor Raids in New York.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — Continuing their efforts to clean out the speakeasies, police tonight raided 37 places in Manhattan and Brooklyn. At the same time Federal prohibition agents made one raid near Times Square. A quantity of liquor was seized. Restaurants in Greenwich Village and the Times Square District learned of the raids and posted special guards to keep out persons not known.

FOR INTERSTATE CRIME PACT

New York Body Suggests States Be Responsible for Own Evil-Doers.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A recommendation favoring an interstate agreement whereby each state would assume responsibility for the care of such of its citizens as commit crimes in other states was made today by a subcommittee of the Crime Commission of New York State.

Boy Is "Unloaded Gun" Victim.

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 29.—Johnny Tindle, 13-year-old school boy, is in a critical condition at Ozark as a result of the old "unloaded" gun theory. Tindle, who was out hunting with some friends, thought he had taken all of the cartridges from the gun. He placed the barrel against his abdomen and pulled the trigger.

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SIDENER GETS OFFICE READY FOR SUCCESSOR

Prepares to Turn It Over to Franklin Miller at 10 O'Clock Next Tuesday Morning.

HE WILL RESUME PRIVATE PRACTICE

Drops 50 Criminal Cases Including That of Sylvester Baldwin in "Cleaning Up" Docket.

Circuit Attorney Sidener spent part of yesterday afternoon directing the work of adjusting affairs of his office, preparatory to turning it over to his successor, former Circuit Judge Franklin Miller, at 10 a. m. Tuesday. The new Circuit Attorney and his staff will be formally sworn in at that time by Circuit Judge Hall.

Sidener, who goes out of office New Year's day, has spent practically all his political life (20 years) in public office. He was elected three times to the post of Prosecuting Attorney. While serving his third term in the latter office he was elected Circuit Attorney and later re-elected for a four-year term.

To Resume Law Practice.

Sidener announced yesterday that he will now resume the private practice of law, taking up the work in the office left vacant by the late Horace L. Dyer. His office will be part of the suite occupied by former Judge Thomas B. Harlan and Chase Morsey in the Central National Bank Building. He looks forward to gaining considerable practice in the criminal courts.

In relinquishing his office, Sidener and his aids have dismissed from the dockets approximately 50 cases. These were cases on the books for a long time, some of them remanded from higher court, others admittedly weak or in such shape that convictions could not be obtained because of missing witnesses or which were brought by persons who have since become lukewarm on the subject of prosecution.

Baldwin Case Dropped.

Among the more notable cases to be dismissed was a robbery charge against Sylvester Baldwin, an ex-convict, whose conviction to five years in the penitentiary had twice been affirmed in the Supreme Court, but later remanded by that court in banc for a rehearing.

While Jones H. Parker, lawyer and State legislator, was seeking a re-hearing in 1926, Sidener wrote the Supreme Court saying that a review of the case and perusal of affidavits obtained after the trial by Parker made him believe Baldwin was not guilty. Parker's plea was based on affidavits of policemen not at the trial who supported Baldwin's assertion that he was not at the scene of the robbery at the time, but was in John Hurley's saloon near Sarah and St. Louis avenues taking down Christmas decorations.

In dismissing the case Friday, Sidener told Judge Hall that he had become convinced Baldwin was not guilty. The Judge remarked that he recalled the case as one in which the Supreme Court "took a step into the future by assuming some of the functions of the Governor." The Supreme Court's action in the matter was regarded by some lawyers as a decidedly unusual step inasmuch as the Court reversed itself on affidavits furnished by an attorney, Parker, who was not in the case when it was tried.

Other Cases Dismissed.

Cases dismissed by Sidener since his defeat at the polls Nov. 6 are:

Harry Murphy, felonious wounding, convicted on another charge; Henry St. John, robbery, under sentence of life for murder; John Volanti, turning in false fire alarm; Richard Gassdorf, grand larceny; Nelson Eveland, larceny of a motor vehicle; Fred Schaljos, robbery; Nick Kervel, robbery; Mary Hart, manslaughter; Minni Zenche, manslaughter; McLester Doncan, carrying a concealed weapon; Oscar E. Wells, carrying a concealed weapon; William Albers, robbery.

Jack Parcel, larceny from the person; Otto Johns, Thomas Fleming and Raymond Aubuchon, robbery; Sam Rifkin, embezzlement; Arnold J. Tuchschmidt and Emerson Gottfried, false pretenses; George Potucek and Emmanuel Schimmel, arson; Meyer and Isadore Holtzman, receiving stolen property; Louis Homan, carrying a concealed weapon; Henry Albrecht Jr., manslaughter; L. Hudson, carrying a concealed weapon; Herman Hommelson, burglary and exhibiting a deadly weapon; Kenneth Hallock, robbery; Harry and Dorothey Dandridge, forgery, and Benjamin F. Austin, executing a fraudulent deed.

Ike Stuart, larceny of a motor vehicle; George Davis, robbery; Clarence S. Rose, embezzlement; William Ryan, criminal assault; Louis A. Bone, robbery; George Mason, carrying a concealed weapon; Joseph Thompson, larceny of a motor vehicle; Dr. E. F. Morganastern, grand larceny; Von Mulkey, felonious wounding, convicted

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SIDENER GETS OFFICE READY FOR SUCCESSOR

Prepares to Turn It Over to Franklin Miller at 10 O'Clock Next Tuesday Morning.

HE WILL RESUME PRIVATE PRACTICE

Drops 50 Criminal Cases Including That of Sylvester Baldwin in "Cleaning Up" Docket.

Circuit Attorney Sidener spent part of yesterday afternoon directing the work of adjusting affairs of his office, preparatory to turning it over to his successor, former Circuit Judge Franklin Miller, at 10 a. m. Tuesday. The new Circuit Attorney and his staff will be formally sworn in at that time by Circuit Judge Hall.

Sidener, who goes out of office New Year's day, has spent practically all his political life (20 years) in public office. He was elected three times to the post of Prosecuting Attorney. While serving his third term in the latter office he was elected Circuit Attorney and later re-elected for a four-year term.

To Resume Law Practice.

Sidener announced yesterday that he will now resume the private practice of law, taking up the work in the office left vacant by the late Horace L. Dyer. His office will be part of the suite occupied by former Judge Thomas B. Harlan and Chase Morsey in the Central National Bank Building. He looks forward to gaining considerable practice in the criminal courts.

In relinquishing his office, Sidener and his aids have dismissed from the dockets approximately 50 cases. These were cases on the books for a long time, some of them remanded from higher court, others admittedly weak or in such shape that convictions could not be obtained because of missing witnesses or which were brought by persons who have since become lukewarm on the subject of prosecution.

Baldwin Case Dropped.

Among the more notable cases to be dismissed was a robbery charge against Sylvester Baldwin, an ex-convict, whose conviction to five years in the penitentiary had twice been affirmed in the Supreme Court, but later remanded by that court in banc for a rehearing.

While Jones H. Parker, lawyer and State legislator, was seeking a re-hearing in 1926, Sidener wrote the Supreme Court saying that a review of the case and perusal of affidavits obtained after the trial by Parker made him believe Baldwin was not guilty. Parker's plea was based on affidavits of policemen not at the trial who supported Baldwin's assertion that he was not at the scene of the robbery at the time, but was in John Hurley's saloon near Sarah and St. Louis avenues taking down Christmas decorations.

In dismissing the case Friday, Sidener told Judge Hall that he had become convinced Baldwin was not guilty. The Judge remarked that he recalled the case as one in which the Supreme Court "took a step into the future by assuming some of the functions of the Governor." The Supreme Court's action in the matter was regarded by some lawyers as a decidedly unusual step inasmuch as the Court reversed itself on affidavits furnished by an attorney, Parker, who was not in the case when it was tried.

Other Cases Dismissed.

Cases dismissed by Sidener since his defeat at the polls Nov. 6 are:

Harry Murphy, felonious wounding, convicted on another charge; Henry St. John, robbery, under sentence of life for murder; John Volanti, turning in false fire alarm; Richard Gassdorf, grand larceny; Nelson Eveland, larceny of a motor vehicle; Fred Schaljos, robbery; Nick Kervel, robbery; Mary Hart, manslaughter; Minni Zenche, manslaughter; McLester Doncan, carrying a concealed weapon; Oscar E. Wells, carrying a concealed weapon; William Albers, robbery.

Jack Parcel, larceny from the person; Otto Johns, Thomas Fleming and Raymond Aubuchon, robbery; Sam Rifkin, embezzlement; Arnold J. Tuchschmidt and Emerson Gottfried, false pretenses; George Potucek and Emmanuel Schimmel, arson; Meyer and Isadore Holtzman, receiving stolen property; Louis Homan, carrying a concealed weapon; Henry Albrecht Jr., manslaughter; L. Hudson, carrying a concealed weapon; Herman Hommelson, burglary and exhibiting a deadly weapon; Kenneth Hallock, robbery; Harry and Dorothey Dandridge, forgery, and Benjamin F. Austin, executing a fraudulent deed.

Ike Stuart, larceny of a motor vehicle; George Davis, robbery; Clarence S. Rose, embezzlement; William Ryan, criminal assault; Louis A. Bone, robbery; George Mason, carrying a concealed weapon; Joseph Thompson, larceny of a motor vehicle; Dr. E. F. Morganstiern, grand larceny; Von Mulkey, felonious wounding, convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to two years; Frank Clarke, larceny of a motor vehicle; John Schmidt and Helms McMahon, robbery; under sentence in another case; Julius Kruck, robbery; Gussie Ledbetter, assault to kill; George Huck and Julian Blanke, robbery, principal in case sentenced to five years; John Anderson, assault to kill; Helen Burns, grand larceny, and Dr. Louis A. Chaudet, criminal assault. In the latter case, which was tried once, resulting in a hung jury, the prosecuting witness left the city and wrote back that she would not again appear to testify.

Circuit Attorney Sidener in interviews recently has said that a nolle prosequi was entered by his men in a large number of cases following his promise to Circuit-Attorney-elect Miller that he would clean up his dockets as far as possible of cases which his men found could not be convicted before juries.

Home-Grown Coconut Palm



—By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

THE seed for this tropical tree was planted at Shaw's Garden five years ago. Now the palm is six feet tall. The original coconut from which it sprang still may be seen above the soil. It provides nourishment until the roots are mature enough to sustain the growing palm.

MRS. WASSALL WARNED BY JUDGE ON PERJURY

Mulloy Cautions Divorce Plaintiff Who Repudiates Story on Which She Got Decree.

A warning that if she persisted in repudiating sworn testimony at her divorce trial he would ask the grand jury to indict her for perjury was given by Circuit Judge Mulloy at Clayton yesterday to Mrs. Ethel Wassall, former wife of Maj. Charles R. Wassall, commanding officer of the Thirty-fifth Division Air Service.

"Here's a woman," Judge Mulloy said, "who testified to a certain set of facts to obtain a divorce. Then she learned her husband married another woman. Now she wants revenge on the other woman and hopes to make her former husband a bigamist. She wants the Court to carry the brunt of setting aside her divorce."

Mrs. Wassall, who resides at 7336 Bruno avenue, Richmond Heights, obtained a divorce and alimony Oct. 2. Under oath, she testified to indignities. On Dec. 5, after Wassall had remarried, Mrs. Wassall filed a motion to set aside the divorce, asserting that her testimony was false, that Wassall had been a loving husband, that he had requested her to get a "temporary divorce" as a business convenience to him, that he had taken her to a lawyer, Clarence Wolff, and advised her to say "Yes" to any question he might put to her at the divorce hearing, and that she had signed the divorce petition without reading it. She charged collusion between Wassall and Wolff, asserting the latter was in reality Wassall's lawyer, not hers.

Wassall, through Wolff, filed a demurrer to the motion, on the ground the case was closed. Arguments on the demurrer were heard yesterday. Besides Wolff, State Senator Richard F. Ralph and John F. Haley appeared as counsel for Wassall. Mrs. Wassall was represented by Verne Lacy.

Judge Mulloy dismissed the demurrer and set a hearing on the motion for next Friday, but warned Mrs. Wassall that a grand jury investigation of her contradictory statements was likely.

Swedish Count and Bride Sail.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Count Folke Bernadotte, nephew of King Gustav Adolph of Sweden, and his bride, the former Estelle Manville, sailed today on the Swedish-American liner Drottningholm. They are to live in an apartment house in Stockholm. Into the two cabins taken by the Count and Countess were placed the last of their wedding gifts. Most of the presents, whose total weight was several tons, had been sent to Sweden on other vessels.

HOLLAND DIKES AND GIN IN TRIANGLE CLUB SHOW

Princeton Group's Production, 'Zuider Zee,' Has Catchy Tunes and Clever Jokes.

The wet life in Doontzeedam, Holland—doubly wet owing (1) to the ocean and (2) to "horseshoe" gin—was the subject of the lavish production, "Zuider Zee," this year's offering of the Princeton Triangle Club, as given last night at the Odeon.

In the fashion of Triangle Club shows, "Zuider Zee" was ornamented with plentiful wisecracks, not too aged, catchy tunes of contemporaneous pattern, and admirable stage sets. The chorines—husky lads who were chasing the pigskin for the Tiger earlier in the year—had been drilled to perfection, and their vigorous maneuvers, on one occasion, set the stage lamps aswing. They presented a sort of Charlestonized offtackle buck that drew a deserved quota of applause.

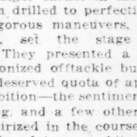
Prohibition—the sentimental cottage song, and a few other things were satirized in the course of the show. The plot was a bit sketchy. Things looked dark for young Pieter Bloemewinkel, who wanted to marry six-foot Liesje, the Mayor's daughter, but Tom and Dick, the scheming young Americans, got their signals crossed, and Pieter was able to carry off the bride and the contract to fix the dike.

The script of the play showed notes of influence from the last election, in that one of the characters wore a brown derby, and the Mayor of Doontzeedam, in a campaign speech, talked about "radio" and farm relief.

The program for the show carried a note to the effect that Pittsburg, on the club's itinerary, would be visited later this year, because "a dress shirt once worn in Pittsburg cannot be worn elsewhere, whereas a dress shirt worn in another city may again be worn in Pittsburg with impunity." This note cheered local smoke sufferers.

The cast was: Dykes, Alfred M. Wade; Liesje, Alan Laidlaw; Pieter, John C. Fulmer; Adolphus, Charles E. Erndt Jr.; Wilhelmina, Bruce Kelham; Tom, Kenneth G. Keen Jr.; Dick, J. L. Logan; First Villager, John A. Metz Jr.; Second Villager, Erik Barnouw. The music was composed by D. Swann, C. C. Austin, D. Brereton, E. Ashcraft, J. B. Kremer, D. G. Ross, F. O. Cooke, C. E. Arndt Jr. and Marshall Sprague.

For the benefit of the uninitiated, "horseshoe" gin, as described by the Mayor of Doontzeedam, is that liquor to which, if it straightens a horseshoe dropped in it, you add water.



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BANK WRECKER MUST TELL TRUTH OR LOSE PAROLE

M. N. Stark of West Line, Mo., Gets Two Years, but 8-Year Terms Are Suspended Conditionally.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HARRISONVILLE, Mo., Dec. 29.—M. N. (Nobe) Stark, former cashier of the West Line (Mo.) State Bank, was sentenced yesterday to serve two years in the penitentiary for receiving deposits when he know the bank to be insolvent, but was respited for 90 days by Judge Ewing Cockrell. The delay is to enable Stark to aid in straightening out the bank's affairs and to appear as a witness in the case of claims against the bank. The Judge paroled Stark on two other sentences totaling eight years, on condition that Stark would tell authorities and liquidators the full truth concerning the wrecking of the bank, which was closed March 19.

The sentences on which paroles were granted are three and five years on two charges of falsifying the bank's records. These sentences were made to run continuously so that Stark may be required to serve full 10 years if he does not carry out the "truth" conditions of his parole. Stark will be at liberty on bond until the time set for him to go to the penitentiary.

In staying the execution of Stark's two-year term until March 25, 1929, Cockrell explained that he granted it at the request of depositors, the prosecuting attorney and various claimants against the bank. There was no complaint by State, defense or the depositors' committee regarding the sentence and the paroles.

Stark Says He Was Victimized.

At the trial Stark reiterated his original story that he was victimized by Jacob Weisser of Westline, who is charged with conspiracy in the bank looting. Stark repeated his allegations that he was forced by threats to meet Weisser's $29,000 overdrafts. While Stark's attorney informed the Court the defense had no statement to make, Judge Cockrell indicated in the language of his formal order of sentence that he desired Stark to uncover any and all parts of matters relating to the bank failure.

"While it is not for me to determine at this time whether Mr. Stark was influenced by anyone or whether he is greatly or only slightly to blame, I shall call upon him to tell all he knows about the bank to the authorities who are straightening out the business," Judge Cockrell said. "I want you to understand, Mr. Stark, that you are being paroled from the eight-year sentence on the other charges on the one condition that you tell everything you know about the case to the receiver and the authorities."

Stark nodded to indicate his understanding of the Court's words.

Conditional Parole.

"No matter how blameless the defendant may be in this case, the court believes he should go to the penitentiary for the good of the community," Judge Cockrell said. "It is not a lesson to other men who tamper with banks if this defendant goes without punishment. The community will maintain a check upon Mr. Stark and if he does not carry out the provisions of his parole from the eight year sentence, he may be sent to prison for a full 10 year term."

Weisser was not in court when Stark was sentenced. He has denied the assertions by Stark that he conspired to wreck the bank by making overdrafts approved by the cashier. Weisser has insisted he supposed Stark was advanceing to him from personal funds. Weisser has taken a change of venue to Warrensburg and will be tried in the February term.

Stark's first task will be to aid in establishing priority of claims. It is of prime importance that relatives of Stark have heavy claims against the bank.

Admits Failing to Keep Records.

After sentence was passed, Stark was called as a witness in a small claim against the bank. He responded readily and smiled at court and counsel. He was asked to identify a check which had been deposited in the bank.

"Yes, I remember that."

"Did you make an entry of the check in the banks books?" "Well, no I didn't."

"Isn't that the regular way?"

"Yes, I suppose if you were doing things exactly according to Hoyle, it would be the right way."

The Stark family has lived in Cass county since the early 1850's and have stood high. Of "Nobe" Stark's brothers, David N. Stark, won election to the State Senate about 14 years ago.

TWO ON MOTORCYCLE HURT

Collinsville Men Injured When Auto Strikes Them.

Edward Katilus, a painter of Collinsville, Ill., suffered a fracture of the right leg and Delbert Richardson, a stenographer, also of Collinsville, suffered fractures of the right leg and right arm yesterday when a motor cycle on which they were riding collided with an automobile driven by Andrew Frinkle, a theological student of Collinsville, on Eighth street, near Converse avenue, East St. Louis.

They were taken to St. Mary's hospital.

TOMORROW LAST DAY FOR PAYMENT OF TAXES WITHOUT PENALTIES

TOMORROW is the last day for payment of real and personal property taxes without penalty for delinquency. Payments mailed in envelopes postmarked Dec. 31 will be credited as made on time although received after Jan. 1.

The penalty of delinquency is one per cent a month of the total tax. An additional penalty of a flat 2 per cent is levied at the end of the third month of delinquency as a commission for the Collector, but the one per cent penalty continues independently until the tax is paid, or reduced to judgment.

Up to last night a total of $17,275,502 had been collected out of a total levy of $32,887,623. A force of 118 clerks is at work today recording payments made by mail. Banks, large commercial houses, railroads and other extensive business enterprises pay their taxes on the last possible day, so that they may draw the maximum of interest on their money. As a consequence remittances recorded tomorrow are expected to total about $10,000,000.

The Tax Collector's office is closed today, but will be open tomorrow.

SHIP CAPTAIN SHOOTS WIFE AND KILLS HIMSELF

His Lifeless Body Tumbles Into Sea at Long Beach, Cal.—Jealousy Thought to Be Cause.

By the Associated Press.

LONG BEACH, Cal., Dec. 29.—After sending four bullets into the body of his wife, Leila Farrer, 43 years old, Capt. H. E. Farrer, master of the steamer S. A. Perkins, fled to the stern rail of his ship, shot himself through the head and tumbled lifeless into the water of Long Beach Harbor, near the dock of the Standard Gypsum Co. today.

Mrs. Farrer, wounded, ran to the gangway, screaming for aid, before he fell. At the hospital it was said she had a fair chance for recovery.

Farrer's body was found in the water 100 feet from the ship.

The Farrers had visited a cafe near Westminster with friends last night. Both were said to have quarreled repeatedly. Jealousy was assigned by police as the cause of the shooting.

Capt. Farrer had been in command of the S. A. Perkins since it was commissioned in 1925. The ship had been engaged in carrying gypsum from San Marcos Island in the Gulf of California to the Standard Gypsum Co. plant in Long Beach.

CONTRACTS FOR AERIAL HEARSE

New York Undertaking Firm to Carry Bodies Over Long Distances.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Now comes the flying hearse.

John J. Fox & Sons, undertakers of the Bronx, who claim to have been the first in New York to utilize the automobile for transporting the dead to burial grounds, announced today they had completed arrangements with Barrett Airways of Armonk to supply airplanes on short notice capable of carrying a coffin and an undertakers' assistant.

The service will be available next spring and is designed particularly for use in cases where bodies must be carried over long distances for burial.

"Of course, we'll still have to use motor coaches and the railroads in our business," John J. Fox Jr., a member of the firm, said, "but the day will come when there will be landing fields attached to many cemeteries."

MRS. ROSS NEAR COLLAPSE

Ill with Influenza, She Goes to Attend Son's Funeral.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 29.—Grief-stricken over the death of her son and suffering from an attack of influenza, Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross, former Governor of Wyoming, was almost in a state of collapse when she passed through Kansas City today on her way to Cheyenne.

Mrs. Ross was under the care of a physician at Springfield, Ill., when she learned last night that her son, Ambrose Ross, 25 years old, a salesman was killed yesterday in a motor car accident at Saratoga, Wyo. "But I was not too ill to go to my dear son," she said here. "I only wish I could talk to Ambrose, but it's too late." A Coroner's jury at Saratoga returned a verdict that Ross' death was accidental. The automobile in which he and John Paulsen of Saratoga were riding swerved off the road and overturned in passing a hayrack at the top of a hill. Ross' neck was broken, but his companion was not seriously injured.

80 POLICE SERGEANTS SHIFTED

Transfers Are in Keeping With Policy of Commissioners.

Eighty police Sergeants were transferred last night to different districts from those in which they have been serving.

The policy of the Board of Police Commissioner is to allow no Sergeant to serve in a district more than three years.

American Crew Rescued.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 29.—Tampico dispatches to Excelsior say that the crew of the American tanker Mevania, stranded off the coast for several days, has been rescued and taken ashore in launches. The tanker remained aground in a semi-submerged condition.

FORMER V. P. MAID KILLS SELF WITH FUMES FROM AUTO

Coroner's Verdict Is That Katherine McDonald, 25, Suffered Temporary Mental Aberration.

A Coroner's verdict of suicide, "while suffering from a temporary mental aberration," was returned yesterday in the death of Miss Katherine Lucille McDonald, a maid of honor at the 1922 Veiled Prophet's ball, who ended her life Friday by inhaling carbon monoxide fumes from an automobile in a closed garage in the rear of her home, 5119 Maple avenue.

Witnesses at the inquest were her father, Alex L. McDonald, former secretary-treasurer of the J. H. Teasdale Commission Co., and a neighbor, Kenneth Schaberg, 5123 Maple. McDonald said his daughter had been in ill health, but never had threatened to kill herself. Schaberg told of finding the body.

Left Note for Mother.

A note signed "Lucille" was found beside the body in the coupe. It read as follows:

"Mother Dear: I have been a big cheater. Do not worry, mother dear, for your reward in heaven will be a thousandfold by ending all now. The three of you can still leave Tuesday, and that will help you to forget.

"Use my money for the education of some priest, which will not do me any good, but it will substitute. Louis has had nothing to do with being the cause of my acting thus.

"I am miserable wretch and am making everyone else equally so. By leaving, I can take it with me, and soon things will adjust themselves as before, and God will fix things up all right for your unfaithful daughter."

On the back of the note was a second message, almost illegible, and apparently written as she sat in the automobile. It was as follows:

"You'll pull through all right, mother dear, and you will go to heaven. Save your soul. Don't think, mother honey, that God is punishing you. It just, to me, a bigger jewel in your crown. I would love to"—and then follow five words which could not be deciphered.

The words, "you can still leave Tuesday," referred to a trip to Havana planned by the family. "Louis" to whom she referred, was a suitor, according to her father.

Worked as Stenographer.

Miss McDonald was 25 years old. She attended Visitation Convent before making her debut. At one time she gave up social functions for business, working as a stenographer for the Teasdale commission firm.

She left home at 9:30 a. m., ostensibly to visit her physician. Actually, she never got beyond the garage. When she had not returned home at 4:15 p. m., her mother sent a maid to the garage. When the maid reported the place was filled with gas fumes, Mrs. McDonald summoned Schaberg.

Miss McDonald was found seated in her coupe between the steering wheel and the right-hand side. The ignition was turned on, but the motor was not running, the gasoline supply having been exhausted. The motor was still warm. Miss McDonald had been dead for several hours.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning from the family residence to St. Mark's Catholic Church, followed by burial at Alton.

Inquest Tomorrow in Death of Man by Fumes From Auto.

An inquest will be held tomorrow in the case of Walter C. Detering, 35 years old, an electrician, 6050 West Florissant avenue, who was found dead in his garage at that address Friday night from carbon monoxide gas poisoning.

When Detering failed to return home, after an absence of six hours, his brother, Oscar, went to the garage and found his body on the floor beside his automobile, the motor of which was running, filling the closed garage with fumes. He had been dead some time. Efforts to revive him with an inhalator failed.

The brother expressed a belief Detering had been overcome accidentally when placing the car in the garage.

Pickpocket Gets 150 Love Letters.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29. — After Walter Reilly wrote 150 letters to Betty Anne Yale in Battle Creek she was married to him. Now he wants them back, but not from Mrs. Reilly for they are very happy. A pickpocket stole their wife's handbag containing the highly prized epistles.

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MISS KATHERINE LUCILLE M'DONALD.

TWO HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Albert Jablonski and John Rankowski in Hospital.

Albert Jablonski of Pine Lawn suffered cuts and bruises and John Rankowski, 2345 Howard street, fractures of the skull and left collarbone, last night, when their car, driven by Jablonski, collided with another at Washington and Theresa avenues. Henry P. Thomas of 3539 Giles avenue, driver of the other machine, escaped injury.

Jablonski's car, a coupe, turned over. Both men were taken to City Hospital.

Drawing Leads to Romance.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 29. — A cleverly drawn advertisement in a newspaper here two years ago attracted the notice of an expert eye. It was that of John Lee Mahin, wealthy advertising specialist, who was here for a brief visit, and this wek the artist, Miss Jean Dillard, became his bride in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Mahin are spending their honeymoon in New Orleans and Havana. They will make their home in New York City.

SEVEN CIRCUIT JUDGES TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Ryan, Green, Sale, Pearcy, Calhoun, Hamilton and Falkenhainer Sworn in.

The oath of office was administered yesterday to seven of the nine Circuit Judges who were elected last November for six-year terms, beginning Jan. 1. They were sworn in collectively by Circuit Clerk John Schmoll, to whom they presented their certificates of election.

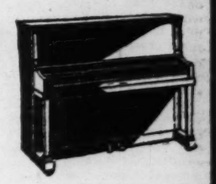
Those taking the oath were: O'Neil Ryan, James F. Green and Moses N. Sale, Democrats, who were elected in place of Judges Frey, Mix and Ittner, Republicans, and Judges Claude O. Pearcy, John W. Calhoun, H. A. Hamilton and Victor Falkenhainer, Republicans, who were re-elected. Judge Wilson A. Taylor, another Republican re-elected, took the oath Friday before his former courtroom clerk, Deputy James H. Smith. Judge Ossing, also a Republican, who was re-elected, was ill yesterday and unable to be present to take the oath.

The three Democrats have previously served on the Circuit bench. Judge Ryan and Sale here and Judge Green in Jefferson County, Missouri. Judge Ryan announced the appointment of John J. Manton as Court Reporter. Harvey J. Readey will serve in that capacity for Judge Sale, and John J. Kelly for Judge Green. Readey was Court Reporter for Judge Sale during the latter's previous term on the bench, and during Judge Frey's term has been his official reporter. Kelly served under Judges Hennings, Bond, Neun and Franklin Miller. No change will be made in the staff of the other Court Reporters, it was stated.

Recently the Circuit Judges in general session assigned Judge Sale to one of the two equity courts, where Judge Mix has presided for the last year, and Judges Ryan and Green were given jury court assignments in the civil division. Judge Pearcy was transferred from the jury to the assignment division as presiding Judge for six months, effective Jan. 1.

Judge Hogan, at present presiding Judge, was transferred to the juvenile division of the Court of Domestic Relations, relieving Judge Taylor, who goes to the Divorce Court, over which Judge Killoren now presides. Judge Killoren was transferred to a jury court in the civil division. Judge Frank Landwehr goes from the jury division to the other equity court, relieving Judge Ossing, who was assigned to jury division No. 3, where Judge Ittner has been presiding.

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SOVIET ARMY RECRUITS 1,000,000 ANNUALLY

Observer Tells of Military Efficiency of Force Having Many Feminine Units.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—The war efficiency of the soviet army, with its extraordinary number of feminine units, has been disclosed in Der Montag by Lieutenant-Colonel Julio Guerrero, Peruvian military attache in Berlin. He attended the recent Russian maneuvers as an observer.

In view of the war fitness of these imposing military forces of the new Russia, represented by a standing army of 600,000 with annual recruitments calling 1,000,000 to the colors, the observer thought it strange that the supreme army command was vested not in the military but in the political leaders of the country.

Col. Guerrero explained that the military strength of Russia comprised a standing army and territorials consisting of permanent cadres, or regimental skeletons, with changeable recruitments. Recruits are called for two months during the first year and for three months in each of the succeeding four years. The standing army is made up of 21 army corps, the infantry, artillery and cavalry serving two years, special arms three years and the navy four years.

Moreover, in addition to the territorials, great crowds of workmen accompany the troops in special formations, known as "the proletarian battalions." These auxiliaries volunteer their services to acquire a military training. They are without uniforms but carry rifles and are commanded by old officers of the former revolutionary army. Their purpose is to fill the gaps in the ranks of the standing army and the territorials during an engagement. They are the real communists ready at all times to sacrifice themselves for the ideals of sovietism.

The artillery at first surprised the observer insomuch as a battery comprises but three cannon; by this arrangement, however, the mobility of this arm is greatly enhanced.

But the greatest surprise was offered by the cavalry. Four in this modern era of scientific destruction cavalry charges by a number of squadrons in closed formation against infantry, equipped with heavy arms and machine guns seemed like the reproduction from a fairy tale.

Women are an unusually important part of the organization. Many formations, particularly in the sanitary corps, are made up entirely of uniformed women.

MANY TITLES BESTOWED AT MUSSOLINI'S BEHEST

Italian King Elevates Several of Fascist Regime; Premier Now Ranks as Royalty's "Cousin."

By the Associated Press.

ROME, Dec. 29.—Premier Mussolini's Fascist regime is building up its own titled nobility, like Napoleon's first empire in France more than 100 years ago.

In the last two months, three new hereditary titles of Count have been bestowed by King Victor Emmanuel, acting on the Premier's recommendation. The recipients were Gen. Ugo Cavallero, who during his three and a half years' service as Mussolini's undersecretary for war reorganized the Italian Army; Admiral Costanzo Ciano, Minister of Communications in the present Cabinet, and Gen. Arturo Cittadini, then the King's ranking aide-de-camp. The last named lived but a week in the enjoyment of his new honor.

Among the quadrumviri, the intrepid quartet that organized and put through the march on Rome in 1922, precipitating Mussolini's advent to the premiership, Cesare de Vecchi, now Governor of Somalia, alone accepted a nobleman's rank. He was created Count of Val Cismon in 1925. Count Volpi, negotiator of the Italo-American war debt agreement at Washington, was raised to the nobility soon after his return from acting as Governor of Misurata. Mussolini took no patent of nobility for himself; his title of Duce, leader of Fascism, has nothing ducal about it. It is a unique distinction, and cannot be handed down. The only royal reward he accepted was membership as a chevalier in the Order of the Annunziata. It is the most highly prized Italian decoration, and wearers of its collar are saluted as cousins of the King.

Oil Gusher in Lower Saxony.

By the Associated Press.

PEINE, Lower Saxony, Dec. 29.—An oil gusher producing 10 tons of oil within one hour was struck in the Oberg field near here. When the drill penetrated to a depth of 1600 feet, the pressure of gas suddenly caused the oil to spout to a height of 60 feet. An oil gusher was something of a sensation in this part of the country where nothing similar had ever been seen.

Highest Waterfall in World.

By the Associated Press.

MARQUESAS ISLANDS, Dec. 29.—The highest waterfall in the world has been discovered on the French island of Nukuhiva, one of the largest of the Marquesas. It is estimated that the water tumbles from a height of 1149 feet. Ordinarily the width is about 10 feet but this is enormously increased during the rainy season. The fall is three miles from the sea.

Farm Raises Mice for Science.

By the Associated Press.

KINGSTOWN, St. Vincent, West Indies, Dec. 29.—The production of mice on a small farm near Rayleigh has reached 300 daily. The animals are used for cancer research work.



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Famous-Barr Co.'s Offering of Hundreds of Small Lots of Merchandat Extreme Sav

Main Floor—Men's Furnishings, Women's Hose, Etc.

576—$1.00 Dermay's Bath Salts, various odeurs.....59c
312—$1.95 Perfume Atomizers, many styles.....$1.29
860 Doz.—Barr's Hardwater Soap, almond scent, doz....39c
360 Cans—White Star Malt Extract, extra heavy.....39c
683—95c Chamois, large size, washable, oil tanned.....69c
445—15c Gimay Bath Tablets, 6 cakes in box, per box....47c
290—$1.00 Shaving Mirrors, stand or hanging style.....65c
96—$5 Bath Mats, washable sponge rubber, sanitary...$2.95
318 Bottles—California Padre Wine Elixir Tonic.....79c
295—79c 8-Garment Dress Bags, bright solid colors.....65c
450—$1.50 and $1.75 Imported Rubberized Aprons.....95c
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160—$1.19 Hat Stands, indestructible heads.....75c
275—50c to 75c Fancy Garters and Garter Sets.....39c
575 Doz.—$1.40 Doz. Fashionette Hair Nets, doz.....89c
420—59c Imported All-Rubber Tea Aprons.....39c
300 Prs.—40c to 50c Scissors, various sizes.....29c
50—$24.50 Dueber Hampden Strap Watches.....$19.95
25—$10 Onyx Initial Rings, white gold with diamond..$7.95
28—$9.75 Water Pitchers, silver plate.....$7.95
129—$5 Salad Forks, Oneida Community Par Plate, 6..$2.49
125—Children's $1.00 Knife, Fork and Spoon Sets.....79c
350—25c Typewriter Tablets, 100 sheets.....19c
275—69c Crushed Bond Stationery, sheets and envelopes..50c
300—59c Pencil Boxes, convenient and handy.....39c
150—$1.00 Pencil Boxes, completely fitted.....65c
350 Prs.—Women's $1.95 Gloves, of lambskin, pr.....$1.29
65 Doz.—Men's and Women's 50c, 75c 'Kerchiefs, soiled, 35c
100 Doz.—Men's and Women's 35c to 50c Handkerchiefs..25c
100 Doz.—Men's and Women's 25c to 35c Handkerchiefs..15c
150 Doz.—Women's 15c to 25c Handkerchiefs.....10c
300—$3.50 4-Inch Fur Bands, 22 and 24 inch sizes.....$1.50
200—$6.95 6-Inch Fur Bands, 27 inches long.....$3.00
400 Yds.—$1.98 to $2.98 Beaded Trimming Bands.....50c
600 Pcs.—Women's 79c to $1.00 Neckwear.....50c
220 Pcs.—Women's $1.50 and $1.95 Lace Neckwear....$1.00
176 Prs.—$1.50 to $1.85 Silk-Top Hose, pr.....$1.18
98 Prs.—$1.35 and $1.45 Lightweight Hose, lisle hems..$1.00
148 Prs.—Women's and Misses' Fancy $1.00 Hose.....75c
117 Prs.—$1.00 Extra-Size Lisle Full-Fashioned Hose....75c
412 Prs.—$1.95 to $3.95 Imported Fancy Sport Hose..Less 1/4
300—Men's $5.00 Sample Soft Hats, sizes 7 and 7⅛....$2.35
489 Prs.—Men's Soiled $1.55 & $1.95 Imp. Wool Golf Hose, $1
200 Prs.—Men's Soiled 35c and 55c Half Hose.....29c
900 Prs.—Men's Soiled 79c & $1 Half Hose, broken sizes, 50c
210 Prs.—Men's $1.95 Auto Gauntlet Gloves.....$1.00
650 Prs.—Men's Soiled $1.95 and $2.50 Pajamas.....$1.55
3000—Men's 59c to $1 Silk-and-Wool Neckties.....45c
904 Prs.—Men's Soiled $1.35 and $1.95 Pajamas.....$1.00
1200—Men's Soiled $1.85 to $2.95 Shirts.....$1.44

Seventh Floor—Housewares, Etc.

300—69c Imported Decorated Teapots.....39c
250—$1.00 Gold-Incrusted Stemware, odds and ends.....45c
14—$32 Imported China Dinner Sets, 66 pieces.....$25
75—Imported China Incrusted Service Plates, seconds, $1.65
110—$2.50 English Decorated Bone China Salad Plates, $1.25
490—75c to $1 Imported Glass Vases and Fancy China...45c
150—$1.00 Hand-Cut Colored Glassware, odd lots.....69c
290—65c Rose-Colored Glassware, odd lots.....39c
10—$38 American Semi-Porcelain 100-Pc. Dinner Sets..$29
Reconditioned & Demonstrator Washers, Mechanically perfect:
1—Mayfair Electric Washer, oscillator type.....$49.50
3—Home Electric Washers, oscillator type.....$29.95
10—Automatic Electric Washers, Hydro disc type....$64.95
50—Electric Irons, 6-lb., nickel-plated, with stand, cord, $2.59
85—Medium Size Electric Heaters, adjustable base....$1.59
200—$1.25 Roll-Top Bread and Cake Boxes, japan finish..79c
200—$1.95 Folding Ironing Boards, well-seasoned wood, $1.25
125—$2.75 No. 9 Size Dutch Ovens, self-basting covers..$1.75
200—$1.50 Wool Wall and Ceiling Dusters, washable.....88c
200—Household Brooms, good grade, 5 rows sewing.....55c
35—$4.50 Griswold Dutch Ovens, large size, with cover, $2.95
30—$2.95 Household Grater and Potato Slicer, all metal, $2
90—$1 Round Aluminum Roasters, good size, with cover, 66c
75—$1.85 Oval Alum. Roasters, good size, with cover, $1.10
90—$7.95 Bird Cages and Stands, finished in colors....$5.24
5—$24.45 Bird Cages and Stands, finished in colors..$15.45
45—$2.25 to $2.95 Bird Cages, japan finish.....$1.75
90—$2.95 Bird Cages, round style, japan finish.....$2.00
10—$64.95 to $79.95 Estate Gas Ranges.....$53.00
50—$11.95 Utility Cabinet Bases, 22x27, porcelain top..$7.75
18—$11.95 Breakfast Tables, porcelain top, drop-leaf..$8.50
25—$17.95 Cab. Bases, with bread box and 3 drawers, $11.95
10—$65.95 May Queen Gas Ranges, porce., heat control, $45
100—$1.25 Window Refrigerators, galvanized, adjustable, 85c
6—$14 Oil Heaters, portable style.....$10.95
50—$3.75 to $6.50 Radiator Adjustable Shields....Less 25%
111—$1.00 Three-Light Alum. Ceiling Fixtures.....50c
160—$1.00 Boudoir Lamp Bases, odd styles.....50c
172—50c and 75c Boudoir Lamp Shades, odds & ends, soiled, 25c
59—$1.79 Metal Frame Footstools.....$1.09
63—$5 Junior Shades, silk, crackled and other styles, $2.50
121—$3.75 Plated Bridge and Junior Lamp Bases.....$2.50
21—$5.00 Oblong Wicker Fern Boxes.....$2.50

Fifth Floor—Underwear, Etc.

100—Women's $5 and $6.75 Felt and Velvet Hats.....$2.00
350—Boys' and Girls' 50c Books, various subjects.....25c
650—75c Popular Copyright Novels.....39c
109—$1.25 Radio and Auto Engine Guide Books.....75c
300—95c Lambskin Library of Standard Books.....39c
50 Pcs.—$4.95 Extra-Size Pongee Gowns.....$2.95
150—$1.00 Pongee Chemises, well made.....69c
80—$1.95 and $2.95 Pongee Nightgowns.....$1.39
200—Mussed Cotton Flannelette Nightgowns.....69c
250—Mussed Cotton Printed Pajamas.....79c
350—Porto Rican Handmade Cotton Nightgowns.....69c
100—$1.00 White Cotton Flannelette Petticoats.....69c
12—$12.50 and $15 Tailored Robes, rayon brocaded...$7.95
35—$12.50 Japanese Silk Kimonas, dark shades.....$5.00
400—Soiled or Mussed $1.00 Hoover Dresses.....50c
700—$1.95 Wash Dresses, in odd lots.....69c
150—$3.50 to $5.00 Bien Jolie and Bonita Corsettes....$2.45
100—$3.50 Corsettes, in medium and stout sizes.....$2.10
100—Odd Lots of Slightly Soiled $2.50 and $3 Corsettes, $1.44
85—$5.00 Nemo-Flex Girdles, broken sizes.....$2.35
135—$5.00 Nature's Rival Circle Sashes.....$3.00
75—$4.00 Lightly Boned Girdles, small sizes only.....$2.00
140—Tots' $1.95 to $4.95 Winter Hats.....$1.00
200—Tots' $2.95 Gray Winter Leggins, hookless fasteners, $1
52—Tots' $3.95 and $4.95 Silk Dresses, sizes 3 to 6....$1.97
191—Babies' $1.50 to $2.50 Walking Dresses, sizes 1 to 3, $1.00
263—Tots' $1.50 to $3.95 Tub Dresses, sizes 2 to 5.....$1.00
123—Baby Boys' $1.50 to $2.95 Tub Suits, sizes 2 to 5...$1.00
33—Girls' $5.95 to $8.95 Robes & Pajamas, oddments..$3.87
138—Women's $1.35 to $1.75 Rayon Underwear, odd lots..$1
98—Women's $1.75 Rayon Costume Slips.....$1.35
126—Women's $1.50 and $2.00 Knit Union Suits.....$1.00
120—Women's $1.00 Costume Slips, bodice tops.....79c
108—Children's $1.50 and $1.75 Knit Union Suits.....$1.00



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Frocks, originally $39.[illegible].....$27
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200 Yds.—$1 Black Silk-and-Cotton Moire, yd. 50c
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265 Yds.—$1.69 Printed Georgette Crepe, yd. $1.00
175 Yds.—$1.39 Striped Taffeta Silk, yd. 75c
175 Yds.—$1.69 Printed Warp Taffeta, yd. 95c
245 Yds.—$1.39 Silk-Faced Duvetyn, yd. 95c
100 Yds.—$3.98 White Brocaded Crepe, yd. $2.50
150 Yds.—$1.60 Ivory Silk Broadcloth, yd. $1.00
400 Yds.—$1.39 Colored Silk Crepe de Chine, yd. $1.00
150 Yds.—98c Knitted Rayon, in practical shades, yd. 45c
195 Yds.—$1.39 Colored Taffeta Silk, yd. 95c
110 Yds.—$2.50 Colored Charmeuse Satin, yd. $1.25
400 Yds.—25c 36-Inch Black-and-White Percale, yd. 20c
300 Yds.—39c 31-Inch Cotton Challis and Prints, yd. 25c
400 Yds.—49c 36-Inch Novelty Rayons, yd. 35c
300 Yds.—69c 36-Inch Plain Rayons, yd. 35c
100 Yds.—79c 36-Inch Silk-and-Cotton Prints. 50c
400 Yds.—49c 36-Inch Plain Cotton Voile, yd. 20c
400 Yds.—Remnants 39c to 69c Linings, yd. 25c
225 Yds.—Remnants $1.95 Woolen Fabrics, 54-in. wide, yd. $1
185 Yds.—$1.49 52-Inch Black Flannel, yd. 85c
290 Yds.—$1.25 Printed Wool Challis, yd. 50c
195 Yds.—$1.59 54-Inch Wool Jersey, yd. 85c

Second Floor—Men's Clothing, Etc.

800—Men's Soiled $1 to $1.50 Union Suits, Summer weight, 69c
600—Men's $1.95 Cotton Union Suits, light, med., heavy, $1.35
600—Men's $5 to $6.50 Wool-Mixed Shakerknit Sweaters, $3.50
60—Little Boys' $8.75 Overcoats, sizes 1½ to 5. . . . . $4.85
20—Boys' $16.50 Skater Coats, sizes 10 and 12 only. . . . $7.95
45—Boys' $6.95 Sheep-Lined Coats, broken sizes. $4.95
50—Boys' $4.95 Slicker Coats, broken sizes. $2.55
75—Boys' $2.95, $3.95 and $4.95 Novelty Suits. $2.35
55—Boys' Wool Plaid Lumberjacks, sizes 8 to 16. . . . . $2.69
239—Boys' 95c Cotton Flannelette Sleepers, sizes 4 to 6. . 48c
225—Boys' 88c White and Colored Blouses, sizes 7 to 12. . 65c
135—Boys' $1.50 to $2 Colored Blouses, broken sizes. . . $1.00
160—Boys' $1.00 Heavy Cotton Union Suits, sizes 4 to 12, 77c
285—Boys' Caps and Hats, odd lots 35c
24—Men's $5.75 Blanket-Lined Corduroy Coats $4.25
68—Men's $2.95 Corduroy Trousers, sizes 30 to 50. . . . $2.39
30—Men's $7.95 Moleskin Sheep-Lined Coats. $5.95
62—Men's $4.95 Gray Gossamer Raincoats $3.10
40—Men's $13.50 Blue Corduroy Sheep-Lined Coats. . . $9.75
120—Men's $1.95 Lee Blue Overalls and Jackets. $1.55
140 Prs.—Men's $5.50 to $7.50 Oxfords, odd lots. $3.15
102 Prs.—Boys' $5 to $5.50 Tan Shoes, broken sizes. . . . $3.65

Tenth Floor—Furniture

4—$195 Grand Rapids 3-Pc. Bedroom Suites. $119.50
5—$139.75 4-Pc. Bedroom Suites, of burl walnut. . . . $98.50
7—$359 9-Pc. Walnut Dining-Room Suites $195
1—$895 10-Pc. Walnut Dining-Room Suite. $595
17—$165 to $250 Living Suites, mohair upholstered. . $129.50
6—$37.50 Mahogany Pull-Up Chairs, soiled, each. . . . $19.75
6—$49.75 to $75 5-Pc. Breakfast-Room Suites. $29.75
3—$215 to $237 2-Pc. Bed-Davenport Suites. $125.00
6—$47.50 English Lounging Chairs, mohair cover. . . . $29.95

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210 Prs.—Girls' $5 to $6 Straps & Pumps, sizes 2½ to 7, $2.95
110 Prs.—Children's 95c Felt Slippers, with soft soles. . . 59c
360 Prs.—Women's $1.85 Felt Slippers, leather soles. . $1.39
475 Prs.—Women's $1.49 Felt Slippers, with soft soles, $1.15
115 Yds.—$3.95 54-Inch Fancy Wool Coating, yd. $2.35
185 Yds.—$1.98 40-Inch Embroidered Wool Crepe, yd. . . $1.35
300 Yds.—$1.50 40-Inch Wool Serge, yd. 95c
200 Yds.—Tan Coating Material, seconds $1.49 grade, yd., 69c
150—$1.59 Mattress Covers, full or twin sizes. $1.19
85—$1.79 Fruit-of-the-Loom Sheets, 81x90-inch size. . . $1.29
300—25c Pillowcases, size 42x36 inches, each. 18c
30—$10.75 All-Wool Plaid Blankets, size 72x84, pr. . . . $8.45
100—$3.95 All-Wool Sleeping Porch Blankets. $2.66
40—$1.35 to $1.65 Crib Blankets, plain and fancy. . . . $1.00
4—$62.95 Down-Filled Comforts, with satin covers. . . $47.50
18—7-Pc. All-Linen Table Sets, soiled, $5.95 grade. . . . $3.88
38—Soiled Linen Breakfast Cloths, $1.25 grade. 84c
21—$5.95 Fancy Rayon Bedspreads, odd lots. $3.55
20—$3.95 10-Yd. Bolts Plain Nainsook. $2.69
240—69c Bath Towels, with fancy colored borders. 47c
14—$6.95 Irish Linen Bleached Pattern Tablecloths. . $5.25
32—$3.45 Slightly Soiled Hand-Emb. Madeira Scarfs. . $2.45
12—$6.95 Madeira Hand-Embroidered Pillowcases $5.25
14—Soiled $9.95 Italian Linen Luncheon Sets. $7.49
25 Doz.—Linen Napkins, reg. $3.95 doz. . . . . 6 for $1.34
132—98c Hemstitched Linen Huck Towels, 18x34-in. size, 68c

Sixth Floor—Curtains, Etc.

10—$15 4-Fold Burlap Screens $11.50
200—Various Size & Col., 65c to $1.25 Window Shades, ea., 49c
21—$32.50 to $42.50 One-of-a-Kind Cedar Chests, as is, $19.95
38 Prs.—$4 and $5 Colored Figured Curtains, pr. $2.79
50—$5.95, $7.50 Irish Point Curtains and Panels, each. . $3.95
105 Prs.—$2.00 Lace Curtains, pr. $1.00
25 Prs.—$7.95, $10 Col. Emb. Ruffled Curtains, pair. . . $5.00
1 Lot—50c, 75c Curtain and Drapery Remnants, yd. . . . 25c
50 Prs.—$2 to $15 Sample Curtains, 1 pair of kind. . Less ½
212—$1.00 Modernistic and Boxed Damask Pillows, each. 59c
302—89c Flapper Dolls, mussed from handling. 59c
23—$15 to $16.95 Boudoir Lamps and Shades. $8.97
600—10c Waxed Flowers, choice of 4 colors, each. 5c

Eighth Floor—Sporting Goods, Etc.

150—$2.00 Cowhide Basket Balls $1.45
175—$3.00 Soccer Balls, made in 12 piece. $1.98
46—$5.50 Cowhide Basket Balls $3.95
52—Men's $11.95 Suede Windbreakers. $9.95
98—Men's $2.95 to $4.95 Odd Sweaters. $2.29
67—Men's $8.95 Reversible Lumberjacks $7.45
3—Seville Electric Consolette Model Phonographs. . $69.95
1—$125 Cromwell Victor Electrola $89
5—$39.50 Cheney Console Phonographs $24
3—Cordova-6 Radiola Combinations, complete. $129
5—$45 to $72 Brunswick Phonographs. $29
1—$75 Atwater Kent 33 Battery Model. $25
3—$125 Atwater Kent 37 Electric Radios, console cab. . $95
1—$125 Freshman Presid't 1929 Model 8-Tube Elec. Set, $89
2—Magnavox Console Models, battery, originally $125, $59

Ninth Floor—Rugs

6—$49.50 Seamless Velvet Rugs, size 9x12 feet. $35
4—$67.50 Heavy Seamless Axmin. Rugs, size 11.3x12. . $55
10—$39.75 Seamless Velvet & Axminster Rugs, 9x12. . . . $33
2—$195 High-Grade Worsted Wilton Rugs, 11.3x12 $129
5—$46.50 Axminster Seamless Rugs, 8.3x10.6. . . . . $33
4—$49.50 Oval French Wilton Rugs, attractive, 6x9, $29.50
12—$15 High-Grade Axminster Rugs, size 4.6x6.6. . . . $9.95
100—$2.50 Washable Cotton Chenille Rugs, 24x48 inches, $1.85
300—Printed Cork Linoleum Remn'ts, 5 to 15 yds., sq. yd., 50c





HAS 200 EVERGREEN VARIETIES ON MERAMEC

Henry W. Kuechenmeiester Assembles Largest Private Collection in Middle West.

From an experimental planting of four evergreens at his clubhouse on the Meramec River 10 years ago, Henry W. Kuechenmeister, retired paper box manufacturer, has developed a hobby and the largest private collection of evergreens in the Middle West.

Two hundred varieties, from the dwarf Black Hill spruce which grows an inch a year until three feet high, to the stately Scotch and Austrian pines, fill the large lawn and a three-acre pinetum at his home on the Geyer road south of Kirkwood. The trees have been collected from nurseries in all parts of the country at an expense of more than $5000, express charges being high because of the large amount of earth that must be kept about the roots of the trees in transportation.

Varieties from all North American latitudes have been grown successfully in the rocky clay soil, although two men are kept busy mulching and boxing trees native to warm climates as protection against severe cold, and otherwise protecting them. Pines, spruce and juniper require little water, while arbor vitae, yews and others from Southern swamp lands present an irrigation problem in dry weather.

"Evergreen garden" is the term used by Kuechenmeister to describe the gently rolling knolls through which flagstone paths meander. He avoids technical terms and refers to himself as an "evergreen farmer" rather than an arboriculturalist, although he knows the Latinisms which differentiate his collection.

Among the odd forms taken by the evergreen family is the Canadian ground juniper, which, instead of growing upward, sends out bushlike branches which spread almost indefinitely. The spiral arbor vitae gets its name from its corkscrew appearance caused by the frond-like branches which extend in a perpendicular plane. The globe arbor vitae naturally assumes its symmetry without trimming, while the weeping Virginia cedar, with drooping branches, is not unlike a willow when viewed from a distance.

The Kolster blue spruce of Belgium, English yew, Chinese arbor vitae and the umbrella pine and nut pine from Japan demonstrate the thoroughness with which Kuechenmeister has gone in for collecting.

Lining the long walk in front of the house are unusual rock plants, many of which belong to the evergreen family. Edelweiss, found in the Swiss Alps, and celebrated for its small blue flower, was obtained with some difficulty. Phlox subulatta, dwarf iris and a variety of pink are among the collection.

Mrs. Kuechenmeister vies with her husband with an extensive flower garden including many roses, Oriental poppies and tulips as her favorites.

French Take to German in Alsace.
By the Associated Press.

STRASBOURG, Dec. 29.—In an effort to diminish the importance of her problems in Alsace, France has decided to replace all Government functionaries who do not speak German in the reconquered provinces. For 50 years of German occupation, Alsace spoke only German or its Germanic dialect. One of the reproaches which Alsatians have made against French administration since 1918 was the disregarding of this condition. Ten years later, a French Cabinet council has remedied the cause of complaint. Functionaries for Alsace, from highest to lowest, must know German.

Memorial to Mexico's War Dead.
By the Associated Press.

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Dec. 29.—Work has been started here on erection of a monument to the Mexicans who died in the war of 1847 with the United States and in 1914 when the Americans occupied this city. Contributions were received from all parts of the country. The bodies of the Mexicans who died here in the fighting attending the American occupation, which are now buried in various cemeteries, will be transferred to a crypt to be built into the monument.

Ancient Burial Ground Found.
By the Associated Press.

MUNICH, Dec. 29.—An ancient burial ground about 3000 years old was discovered by workmen excavating for the foundations of new buildings at Malsach, near Munich. They first hit upon a number of antique burial urns dating back to the Hallstatt period, about 1000 B. C. Further excavations brought to light 93 of these urns, each containing besides the ashes of the dead a small leaden receptacle. Scattered among the urns were numerous bronze bracelets, necklaces, needles, knives and other implements.

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Gov. Smith Commutes Sentences.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Gov. Smith tonigh' announced the commutation of sentences imposed on seven prisoners, one of whom was convicted of first degree murder and three of second degree. These commutations, added t those issued yesterday and earlier today, brought the total in two days to 22.

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SUICIDE VERDICT IN LEAP AT MISSOURI THEATER BLDG.

Coroner's Jury Finds Miss Selma Greenwald, 32, Was Suffering Mental Depression.

A Coroner's verdict of suicide while suffering mental depression was returned yesterday at an inquest in the case of Miss Selma Greenwald, 32 years old, a clerk, who jumped to her death Friday afternoon from the ninth floor of the Missouri Theater Building.

Drs. James F. McFadden, a neurologist, testified he had been treating Miss Greenwald for a nervous disorder. She left his office at 2:15 o'clock after telling the doctor she did not believe that she could be cured. "I would kill myself, but I'm too bog a coward," he testified she told him.

Miss Greenwald is thought to have gone from the doctor's office to a washroom on the same floor. Her body was found a short time later on the roof of the Missouri Theater, six floors below. She roomed at the home of a friend at 5593 Waterman avenue.

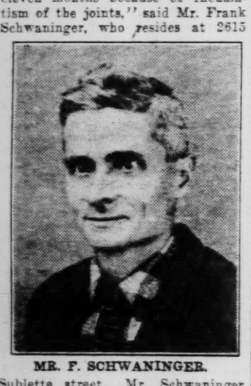
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"My fingers were stiff and so weak that I could not hold a cup of coffee. My back was painful, and I could not stoop to lace my shoes or pick up anything from the floor. Like everyone else who suffers with rheumatism of the joints, I had tried one remedy after another, but failed to improve. After taking Weldona tablets one month I began to feel better, the pain and stiffness left my joints and now I can go up and down stairs without discomfort, sleep well, my hands are strong and free from pain and stiffness, can raise my hands to my face and am ready to return to work after being almost helpless for many months. Anyone can verify my statement by calling on me or writing for further particulars.



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SYSTEM FILES BRIEF CITING DIFFERENCES

Principles Used by Commission Asserted to Be Other Than Those for Which Carriers Contend.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—An illustration of the huge differences which have arisen between Government figures for the valuation of railroads and the figures evolved by railroad corporations for the same properties was given today in a brief filed by the Southern Pacific Co. with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The commission, proceeding under its view of valuation, tentatively had assigned a value of $613,000,000 to the Southern Pacific system, but the railroad itself claimed in the aggregate a valuation figure today of $1,375,000,000, an amount $762,000,000 greater than the commission has been willing to allow.

"A substantial portion of this difference is occasioned by the application of different principles and methods by the commission than those for which the carriers contend," the Southern Pacific brief explained. "The major items included in the $762,000,000 are: claims relating to going concern value, exceeding $85,000,000; claims for additional elements of value attaching to land, exceeding $202,000,000; claims for erroneous deduction for depreciation exceeding $146,000,000; claims for deferred construction costs, exceeding $11,000,000; claims approximating $18,000,000 representing land erroneously classified as noncarrier.

Claims on Questions of Fact.

"These specified claims exceed $462,000,000. The remaining difference, amounting to $300,000,000, between the values claimed by the Southern Pacific and the values allowed is included in claims involving questions of fact as well as the application of correct principles."

Though the Southern Pacific demand for a more than doubling of the Commission valuation figure exceeds that made by the average of other railroads, in practically every case important railroads have insisted that their net worth is greatly in excess of the Commission allowance.

The first important test of the issue which has arisen between the Government and the railroads will be before the Supreme Court next week, where the St. Louis & O'Fallon railroad, with the support of practically all of the carriers in the United States, is contesting the valuation attributed to its property.

Provision for Recapture.

Under the law, after the Commission has determined the valuation of railroads, rates are to be made to enable a six per cent earning on the aggregate figure, and any railroad earning more than six per cent is liable to pay one half of such excess to the Government as excess earnings.

The O'Fallon, since its valuation figures were completed long ago, was the first railroad to be served with peremptory demands for a payment of excess earnings to the Government, and has resisted that action by recourse to the courts.

SEARCH FROM AIR FOR SLAYER

Planes Join New Jersey Troopers in Hunt of Officer's Murderer.

By the Associated Press.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 29.—Successfully eluding all day an extensive searching party operating in the air, as well as on land, the Negro slayer of State Trooper Peter Gladyes, 22 years old, still is believed tonight to be hiding in the woods or marshes of Southern New Jersey.

The blimp J-3 from the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst cruised low over the section until dusk, but observers with powerful glasses saw nothing of the killer. Small pursuit planes skimmed over the countryside to no avail. State troopers, led on by a pack of bloodhounds, beat miles of brush and a large band of volunteer searchers searched the territory around Robbinsville, where the policeman was killed. The fugitive is said to be David Ware, who was being taken to jail by Gladyes in an automobile.

DIVORCES MARCUS S. RICE

A divorce was granted to Mrs. Clara Kuhn Rice, 5354 Delmar boulevard, from Marcus S. Rice, manager of the shoe department of a local department store, by Circuit Judge Killoren yesterday.

Testimony was heard Thursday and decision reserved pending the return to the city of two children who were visiting in Cincinnati. Mrs. Rice alleged general indignities. They were married in 1918 and separated last Dec. 15. By agreemtn, they are to share custody of the two children and Rice is to pay $2000 a year for the support of each child.

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67—Boys' $3.95 Dark Colored Overcoats, 3 & 4 only, $1.97
134 Prs.—Men's $2.19 Trousers; 34, 40 & 42 only $1.69
162 Prs.—Men's $1.29 Overalls; sizes 36 to 40 ..... 94c
348—Boys' 69c Play Suits; sizes 3 and 4 only 37c
247—Boys' 69c Leather Helmets; small sizes only 47c
896—Men's Soiled $1 to $1.65 Shirts 88c
652—Men's Soiled $1 Shirts; good size range 44c
377—Boys' 69c Cotton Flannelette Sleepers 39c
1053—Men's Fabric and Leather Gloves 39c
77—Boys' $3.95 to $4.95 Wool Lumberjacks $2.88
54—Men's and Boys' $6.95 to $9 Lumberjacks $4.85
33—Men's and Boys' $4.85 House Robes $2.95

Women's, Misses' and Girls' Apparel

95—Women's and Misses' $16.50 to $19.50 Coats ... $13.00
61—Women's and Misses' $42.50 to $49.50 Coats ... $31.00
120—Women's and Misses' $24.50 to $29.50 Coats ... $16.00
65—$25 to $30 Extra-Size Winter Coats $19.00
80—Women's $11 to $15 Extra-Size Dresses ..... $ 7.50
45—Women's $15 to $17.50 Extra-Size Dresses $11.75
74—Women's and Misses' Soiled $5 Raincoats .... $ 2.95
60—Women's and Misses' $15 Silk Dresses ..... $ 8.00
97—Women's-Misses' $16.50 to $19.50 Silk Dresses, $12.00
55—Women's and Misses' $7.50 Silk Dresses ..... $ 4.50
212—Girls' $1 Wash Dresses; sizes 7 to 14 ..... 55c
175—Girls' Wash Dresses; sizes 7 to 14 ..... $1.29
53—Girls' $3 Wool Dresses; sizes 8 to 14 ..... $2.25
26—Girls' $12.50 Furred Coats; sizes 8 to 16 ..... $7.95
200—Tots' $1.50 to $1.75 Chinchilla Tams 89c
100—Tots' $2.69 Eiderdown Buntings; lined $1.79
955—69c Flannelette Sleepers; sizes 2-6 and 8-14 ..... 50c

Women's Hats and Accessories

213—Women's Winter Hats; soiled $3 and $4 grades ... $2
253—Slightly Soiled Velvet and Metallic Hats 89c
300 Prs.—Women's Soiled 88c to $1 Fabric Gloves 44c
125—Women's Soiled $1.88 Handbags 75c
185—Dozen—Women's Soft-Finished Kerchiefs, dozen, 45c
135—Women's $2.95 Canteen Handbags $1.55
113—Women's $3.50 Imported Beaded Bags $1.56
195 Pairs—Children's Leather Gloves, irregulars 49c
21—Slightly Mussed $8.95 Quilted Robes $5.00
32—Mussed $3.95 Rayon Kimonas; set-in sleeves $2.00
315—Soiled 79c Hoovers and Smocks 43c
904—Women's 95c to $1.29 Wash Dresses 69c
137—Women's Soiled $1.49 to $1.95 Wash Dresses 93c
36—Slightly Soiled $2.95 Heavy Rayon Gowns $1.39
49—Slightly Mussed $1.29 to $1.95 Crepe Kimonas 89c
165—Women's $1.59 Costume Slips; mostly small sizes, 93c
93—Women's $2.95 Silk Crepe, or 'Radiant' Slips .. $2.19
97—Women's & Misses' $2.95 Heavy Coat Sweaters, $1.89
75—Misses' and Women's $3.95 Wool Jersey Frocks. $2.66
200—Women's & Misses' Soiled $1.59 Slip-on Sweaters, 79c
110—Women's Soiled $1-$1.50 Blouses & Vestees, 2 for 95c

Hosiery and Underwear

1050—Seconds of Women's 65c Union Suits 43c
750—Children's 69c to 79c Union Suits; broken sizes.. 44c
1200—Women's Rayon Bloomers or Chemise; seconds... 85c
800 Prs.—Slight seconds of Children's 50c Hosiery 29c
1500 Prs.—Slight seconds of Women's 44c Hosiery 25c
1400 Prs.—Seconds of Men's 50c Wool-Mixed Hose.... 29c
800 Prs.—Seconds of Men's 25c Cotton Hosiery 12½c
400 Pcs.—Men's Athletic Underwear; broken sizes.... 48c
112—$3.50 Underbelt Marvelette Corsettes $2.45
143—Slightly Soiled $3 Corsettes $1.39
87—$3.50 and $5 Front-Clasp Girdles $1.89
214—Misses' $2.50 All-Elastic Step-Ins $1.79
127—$1.50 Lace-Top Corsettes; lightly boned 95c

Cottons, Silks, Dress Goods

200 Yds.—Remts. 20c Pajama Checks; 36 in. wide., yd., 10c
100 Yds.—Meritas Dark Oil Cloth, yard 25c
54—$3 Rayon and Cotton Bedspreads, seamed $1.39
900 Yds.—Remnants 17c Cotton Flannelette, yard.. 12½c
450 Yds.—Remts. 9-4 Unblchd. Pepperell Sheeting, Yd., 27c
200—75c Bleached Bath Mats; heavy, absorbent 49c
232—Soiled $1.25 to $1.39 Seamless Bed Sheets $1.10
110 Yds.—$2.25 "Fireman's" Navy Wool Flannel, yd., $1
1200 Yds.—Remnants 50c Liberty Art Ticking, yard... 29c
300 Yds.—98c Silks, and Rayon Mixtures, yard 69c
350 Yds.—$1.79 Cotton Velveteen Remnants, yd. 79c
1000 Yds.—Remnants of $1.19 Silks and Rayons, yard.... 69c
145 Yds.—Remnants $3.95 Cotton-Back Velvet, yard, $1.69

Men's, Women's & Children's Shoes

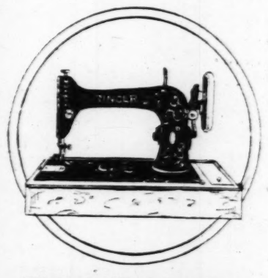
360 Prs.—Women's High Lace Feeture Arch Shoes... $1.69
225 Prs.—Boys' $2.95 to $3.45 Oxfords; broken sizes, $2.19
610 Prs.—Women's $2.45 4-Buckle Galoshes $1.39
85 Prs.—Children's $1.95 and $2.25 Rubber Boots.. $1.77
165 Prs.—Men's $1.95 and $2.45 Leather Slippers.... $1.69

Curtains, Rugs and Bedding

500 Yds.—98c Duplex Terry Cloth and Cretonnes, yd., 38c
300 Yds.—$1.25 Cornice Valance Fringe, yard 49c
610 Yds.—39c to 50c Dotted Grenadines, etc., yard.... 19c
1650 Yds.—45c Bullion Fringe; 2 inches wide, yard.... 19c
400 Yds.—39c and 45c Printed Floral Cretonnes, yd... 19c
212—$2.95 to $3.50 Tapestry Table Runners $1.25
210—$1.49 Fringed Marquisette Panels 79c
65—$2.75 to $4.95 Junior Lamp Shades 98c
710 Yds.—39c Printed Crash Cretonnes, yard 15c
400 Sq. Yds.—Remnants Inlaid Linoleum, sq. yd..... 69c
50—$6.95 Axminster Runners; 9 feet long $3.39
30—Sample 9x12 Felt and Linoleum Rugs $5.45
297—98c Velour-Covered Hassocks 49c
153—$2.49 Round Axminster Rugs; 20-inch size..... $1.68
300—$1.39 Novelty Footstools 69c
21—Soiled $9.95 to $10.95 Wool Blankets, pair..... $6.49
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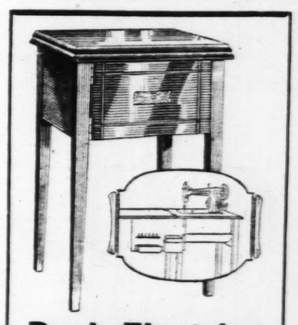


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Disputing countries, under the draft, would be free to agree among themselves as to the type of arbitration tribunal to adjudicate their differences. If agreement should be impossible, then the draft provides that they would both appoint either one or two judges each and that they would then select two Justices of the Hague Court and ask them to name the other member of the Arbitration Court.

Admits $106,000 Embezzlement.

By the Associated Press.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 29.—Firm in his declaration that upwards of $100,000 of State funds which he admitted embezzling to bet on horse races would be repaid by his relatives, David J. Pugh, Deputy State Treasurer, is held in the county jail here today while an audit of his accounts is being made by the State Auditor. Pending the conclusion of this audit, no charge will be filed. Pugh has admitted the embezzlement of $106,000 extending over many months.

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Disputing countries, under the draft, would be free to agree among themselves as to the type of arbitration tribunal to adjudicate their differences. If agreement should be impossible, then the draft provides that they would both appoint either one or two judges each and that they would then select two Justices of the Hague Court and ask them to name the other member of the Arbitration Court.

Admits $106,000 Embezzlement.

By the Associated Press.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 29.—Firm in his declaration that upwards of $100,000 of State funds which he admitted embezzling to bet on horse races would be repaid by his relatives, David J. Pugh, Deputy State Treasurer, is held in the county jail here today while an audit of his accounts is being made by the State Auditor. Pending the conclusion of this audit, no charge will be filed. Pugh has admitted the embezzlement of $106,000 extending over many months.

Wilkins Names His Discoveries in Antarctic to Honor Friends and Benefactors of Expedition

Stefansson Strait, Hearst Land and Hoover Field Among Geographical Designations Chosen by Explorer.

By CAPT. SIR HUBERT WILKINS, Commander of the Wilkins Antarctic Expedition.

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DECEPTION ISLAND, Antarctica, Dec. 29 (via Whaler Hektoria and KUP, San Francisco Wireless Station.)—Taking advantage of a few days' respite from outdoor work, I have been able to develop pictures and carefully go over observations made during our recent flight south of latitude 72, along longitude 63.

This vacation from more arduous duties has given me the opportunity of cataloguing our discoveries, and with observations, notes, sketches and photographs made during the flight, to outline with comparative accuracy the west coast of the Weddell Sea for a distance of about 400 miles, north and south. The sea itself has a coast line of more than a thousand miles.

We realize, of course, that it is only the reconnoitering survey incomplete in detail. Yet the main features of this Antarctic land over which we have flown, so far as we can judge, are more or less correct as we have traced them.

Names for New Points.

For convenience I have undertaken to refer to the geographic points of interest by name instead of by general reference. This greatly facilitates the preliminary map work and obviates such awkward terms as "that second channel" or "that sharp point south of the one we first crossed"

If it lies within our power, this expedition would like to call the three main geographical features we thus far have discovered, Stefansson Strait, Bowman Coast and Hearst Land.

It remains, of course, for a committee of geographers and the American Geographic Society, which sponsored this expedition, definitely to name the newly discovered formations. But as leader of the expedition, and with permission of the people we thus have attempted to honor, I strongly recommend the committee retain these names.

Names Air Field for Hoover.

The point where Eielson, Crossan, Porter and I worked so hard clearing a runway for our successful takeoff, I have named Hoover Field. We learned of Hoover's election through the San Francisco wireless station, KUP, and this honor we feel should be conferred upon the next President of the United States for his interest in aviation. We agreed among ourselves that we should ask his permission to name the field in his honor.

It is, and probably will be, the only solid earth field in Antarctic, partly because the volcanic warmth here clears the snow from the ground, and the fact that few other accessible snow-free places are sufficiently level.

There undoubtedly will be numerous other landing fields for skiis. In fact, practically all the Weddell Sea and Ross Sea barrier ice would serve for that purpose. But Hoover Field is the only place we have found where it is possible to take off or land on wheels.

To return to a detail of our discoveries, the first new feature we saw on our flight was the high, tortuous plateau on Graham Land.

Detroit Air Group Honored.

It would hardly be possible to reach it except by airplane, and since the Detroit Aviation Society was the first to present airplane trophies in America and has helped us considerably in our polar work, we have marked it on our charts as the "Detroit Aviation Society Plateau."

Next mapped were the three deep fiords, almost nipping right through Graham Land at latitude 65. These we named Hektoria Fiords, to commemorate the great assistance we have had from the Hektoria's owner, officers and crew.

Just north of latitude 66 is a deep inlet, which we have named Evans Inlet for our generous friend, E. S. Evans of Detroit. Bordering this inlet are two capes which we have called Cape Fritsche and Cape McCarroll, for two other Detroit men who were indefatigable in their efforts to aid us in our Arctic work in 1926 and 1927.

Channel Named for California.

The sloping coast runs westward, and near the Antarctic Circle, a channel cuts Graham Land in half This channel we have named for Mr. Crane of Los Angeles, our benefactor, whose father's name deserves a place on the scroll of Arctic honor for his assistance to Peary.

On the northern side of Crane Channel is a conspicuous double mountain, designated on our charts as Mount Napier Birks, for the generous Adelaide (Australia) man who years ago placed at my disposal funds for geographical work in the Antarctic, and who has since patiently awaited results.

South of Crane Channel the coast trends eastward to latitude 67.30 and longitude 62.45, approximately, to a prominent cape named for Jack Northrop, the designer of our Lockheed plane, "San Francisco," which served us so nobly in our mission of discovery.

Glaciers Named for Motor.

From this point, the coast turns southward, showing some high and noble mountains. These we have named Lockheed Mountains. Pouring down their slopes are four of the most energetic glaciers I have seen. Fan-shaped with fins opening like flanges on air-cooled cylinders, they have been appropriately named the "Whirlwind Glaciers," to honor Col. Lawrence, designer for the Wright Aeronautical Corporation, which manufactured the motor for our plane.

The bay into which the glaciers pour swings smoothly south for 100 miles. It is now marked Mobiline Bay, in gratitude to the efficient service of our motor fuels and their manufacturers.

At a point about latitude 68.45 the mountains fall away, to rise again to a grand promontory to the Southeastern end of South Graham Land. This we have named Mount Ranck, to honor one who was largely instrumental in enabling me to organize this expedition.

The whole of the magnificent coast of South Graham Land, an incontrovertible feature of our discoveries, we have named Bowman Coast. At best it is a small honor to the great geographer and director of the American Geographical Society.

Names Chosen for Capes.

Two capes border the channel south of South Graham Land. These we named for Mr. Keller, president of the Lockheed company, and William Mayo, Henry Ford's efficient engineer. The latter did much to help our work in the Antarctic on this expedition.

This channel itself I have named Casey Channel, in honor of Maj. Casey, who has abundantly served and helped me to serve our country, Australia, for many years.

We honored another Australian whose assistance to us has been material by naming an island to the north of this point Robinson Island. A second and larger island between latitude 69.30 and 70.15 we have named for William Scripps of Detroit, whose boundless generosity really enabled us to complete our work in the Arctic. Another point halfway along Scripps Island we named Miller Point, in respect for the assistance given our original airplane expedition to the North Polar regions.

The southeastern end of Scripps Island, a conspicuous point, we have named Cape Walcott for Senator Walcott, a generous helper and a director of the American Geographical Society.

Islands and Passage Named.

Between latitude 70 and 71 lie a group of six or more islands, named Findley Islands, to honor Dr. Findley, president of the American Geographical Society. The passage north of this group is named Lurabee Channel, for Lurabee Shreck, whose energetic help has greatly aided our work.

Our most important geographical discovery is doubtless the strait between the Graham Land group of islands and the Antarctic mainland. And this we have gladly named for Vilhjalmur Stefansson, my first instructor in polar matters and the greatest polar explorer now living.

It is now in line with a time-honored custom that a newly discovered Antarctic coast-line be named for the greatest benefactor of the expedition discovering it. And, following the precedent of Bruce Shackelton and others, we call, and feel sure the Geographical Committee will agree to name, the new section of the Antarctic continent from longitude 57 to 67 west, between latitude 70 and 72, Hearst Land. In no more fitting manner could we express our appreciation for the invaluable service rendered us throughout our expedition by William Randolph Hearst.

New York Secretary of State.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Governor-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt has announced the appointment of Edward J. Flynn, New York City Chamberlain and Democratic leader of the Bronx, to the post of secretary of State.

FRIENDS FOR 60 YEARS SPLIT ON HORSE TRADE

Row Over Payment of $35 Debt With Animal That Died Aired in Court.

Thomas Woodruff and John D. Hunter, farmers and neighbors of Overland, were warm friends during most of their sixty-odd years of life, until they began mixing horse trades and financial deals into their affairs.

But Justice of the Peace Werremeyer of Clayton listened for two hours Friday while the cronies harangued over the payment of 35, which Woodruff contended was due him as the remainder of a $45 debt incurred when Hunter received "$20 money, $20 maps and $5 plows" from Woodruff last February.

"He gave me $10 last June and then wanted me to take another horse for the balance," Woodruff explained. "I didn't want the horse to keep, but agreed to use it a few days for some work I had. When I took the horse back he claimed it was mine and that he didn't owe me anything, but I just left it there. And I want my $35."

Hunter testified that Woodruff had agreed to take the horse in payment of the debt. "And the worst of it is," he added, "that old horse got strangled in a rope and died not long after I got it back."

Justice Werremeyer, after some cogitation, ordered that Hunter pay Woodruff the $35, less a $10 deduction for the 10 days Woodruff had the horse.

Twenty minutes after the litigants left the courtroom the Justice tiptoed to his door and closed it, while voices shrilled and arms waved outside—the controversy apparently unsettled—in the minds of the two men.

Boy, 4, Missing Two Days.

By the Associated Press.

OREVILLE, O., Dec. 29.—Four-year-old Melvin Horst has been missing from his home here since Thursday evening. It is feared that the boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Horst, was struck by an automobile and perhaps carried away. Any kidnaping theory was discounted. Civic clubs, lodges and individuals subscribed a $500 reward for finding the boy. A $500 reward was taken from the community test. Groups of 15 and 20 have turned out to search the fields, ditches, highways and ponds in the vicinity.

NEGRO'S DEATH BRINGS AUTO FATALITIES OF YEAR TO 213

Ira Lewis Dies at City Hospital, and Ernest Moore, Negro Driver, Is Held for Coroner.

Ira Lewis, 63 years old, a Negro whose address is unknown, died at city hospital No. 2 Friday from a fractured skull which he suffered on Christmas afternoon, when he was struck at Lawton boulevard and Garrison avenue by an automobile driven by Ernest Moore, Negro, of 1007 Garrison. Lewis' death brings the auto fatalities of the year to 213.

Moore, after striking Lewis, sped away, but was captured at Leffingwell and Franklin avenues by two men who had given chase, and by two officers who joined them. Moore was charged with felonious wounding and leaving the scene of an accident, and later released on bond. His rearrest has been ordered, since Lewis' death, and he is to be held for the Coroner.

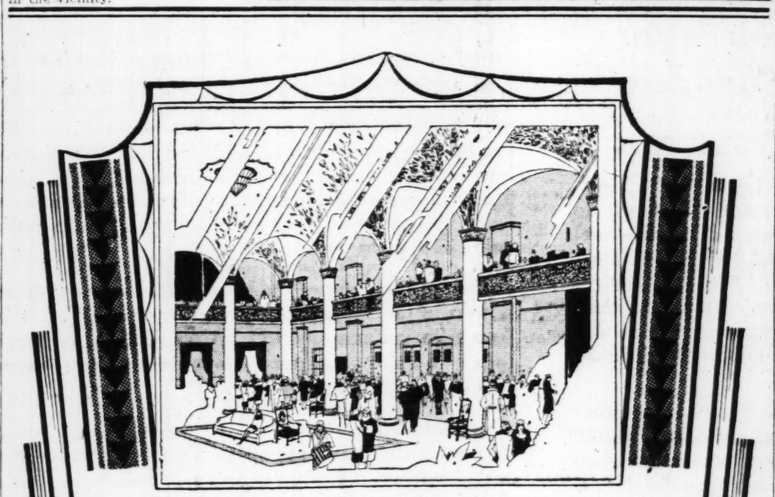
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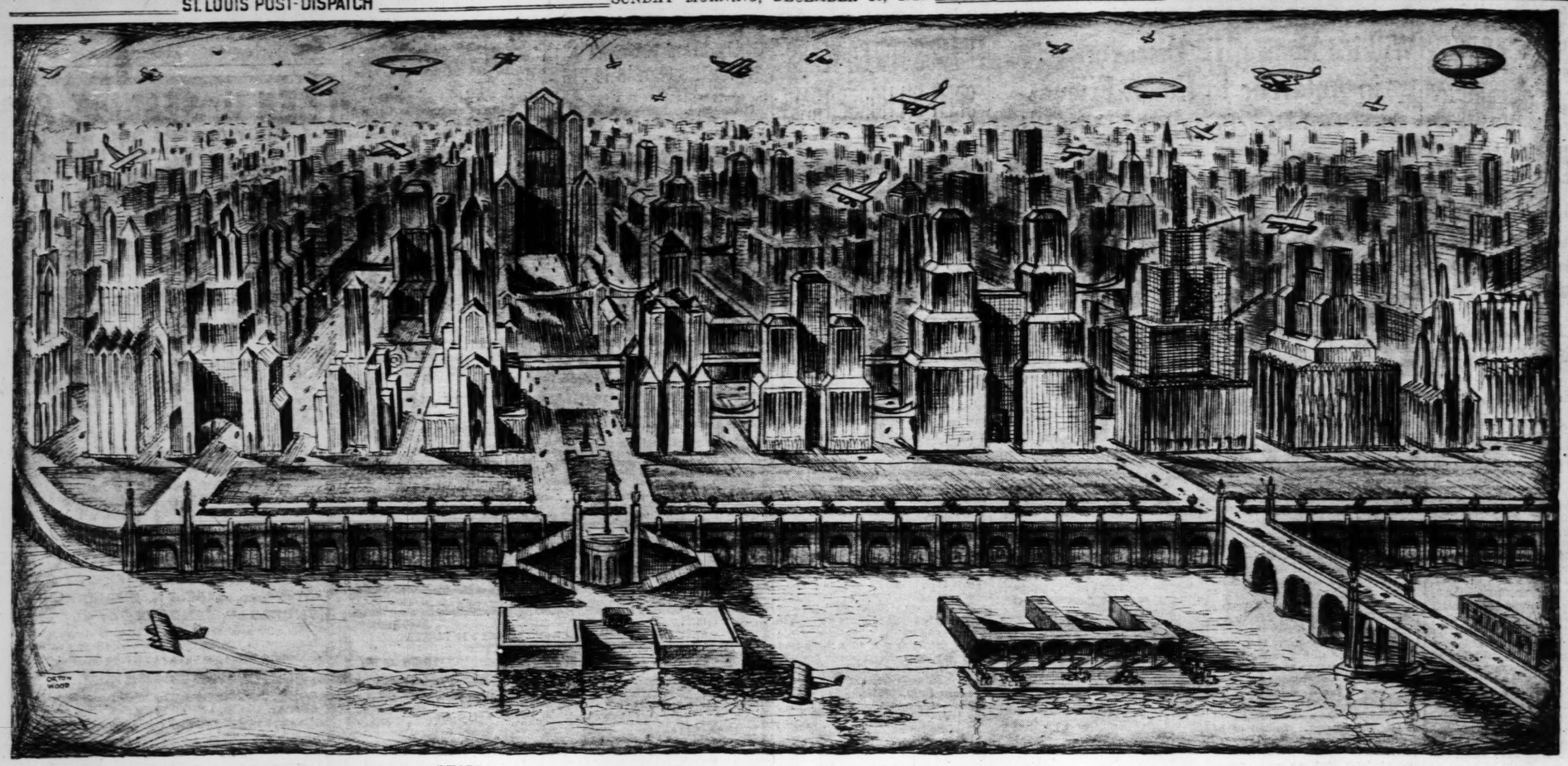
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PART THREE.

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Flyers Dr

St. Louis Tea Ground; Fig Enliven

By W. J. McG

Tulsa made it two in a row over the Winter Garden last night, defeati other rough and tumble match at another fist fight, this time between Sheppard of Tulsa. Both were banis of the contest and fined $15 each.

The Flyers missed Capt. Jim Seaborn, who was forced to remain on the sidelines because of an injured foot suffered Friday night when he stopped a shot from Moran of Tulsa. Chief Boileau, St. Louis forward, also was unable to play because of injuries suffered in the first game.

Six Penalties During Game.

Penalties were numerous in the second game. Tulsa losing men four times and St. Louis six.

Townsend of Tulsa was penalized three times, once suffering a major penalty of five minutes for charging Shields into the boards and being chased once for slugging and another time for tripping. Powley was sent off the ice twice for tripping, while Goyer was banished once for two minutes for tripping, then for the balance of the game for fighting.

Tulsa got off to a good lead in the first period when the Oilers banged in two goals while the Flyers scored but once. Sheppard took a pass from Trapp and scored after 14 minutes of play, while Marker scored on a pass from Keats after 16 minutes.

Cameron took a pass from La Pointe and counted the Flyers' first goal when the opening session had but four seconds to go.

Before eight minutes of the second period had elapsed, La France scored Tulsa's third goal on a pass from Cook while Headley counted the second St. Louis goal after taking a pass from Powley after 10 minutes of play.

Flyers Tie Count.

Going into the third period one goal behind, the Flyers battled hard for a tie. Starting with a rush, Headley took the puck unassisted through the Tulsa forward line and scored on a shot from the blue line. This happened at the two-minute mark and proved to be the Flyers' last gasp, for thereafter they were kept busy trying to keep Tulsa from scoring.

They succeeded until Cook finally counted unassisted after four minutes of play and Keats clinched the game when he drove the puck past Anderson for the fifth Tulsa goal at the 18-minute point.

The game was pretty hot right at the close and when Goyer and Sheppard were struggling for the puck along the boards they boiled over and took a couple of swings at each other with fists. However, there was not much damage done except to their pocketbooks.

Race Tightens.

Results of the games in the American Association last night tightened up the race for second

Training by Women Olympics to

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ALL-EAST ELEVEN BEATS WEST, 20-0, IN CHARITY GAME

Flyers Drop Another Hockey Contest to Tulsa, 5-3

St. Louis Team Loses Ground; Fight Again Enlivens the Play

By W. J. McGoogan.

Tulsa made it two in a row over the St. Louis hockey club at the Winter Garden last night, defeating the Flyers, 5 to 3, in another rough and tumble match at the end of which there was another fist fight, this time between Larry Goyer of St. Louis and Sheppard of Tulsa. Both were banished from the ice for the rest of the contest and fined $15 each.

The Flyers missed Capt. Jim Seaborn, who was forced to remain on the sidelines because of an injured foot suffered Friday night when he stopped a shot from Moran of Tulsa. Chief Boileau, St. Louis forward, also was unable to play because of injuries suffered in the first game.

Six Penalties During Game.

Penalties were numerous in the second game. Tulsa losing men four times and St. Louis six.

Townsend of Tulsa was penalized three times, once suffering a major penalty of five minutes for charging Shields into the boards and being chased once for slugging and another time for tripping. Powley was sent off the ice twice for tripping, while Goyer was banished once for two minutes for tripping, then for the balance of the game for fighting.

Tulsa got off to a good lead in the first period when the Oilers banged in two goals while the Flyers scored but once. Sheppard took a pass from Trapp and scored after 14 minutes of play, while Marker scored on a pass from Keats after 16 minutes.

Cameron took a pass from La Pointe and counted the Flyers' first goal when the opening session had but four seconds to go.

Before eight minutes of the second period had elapsed, La France scored Tulsa's third goal on a pass from Cook while Headley counted the second St. Louis goal after taking a pass from Powley after 10 minutes of play.

Flyers Tie Count.

Going into the third period one goal behind, the Flyers battled hard for a tie. Starting with a rush, Headley took the puck unassisted through the Tulsa forward line and scored on a shot from the blue line. This happened at the two-minute mark and proved to be the Flyers' last gasp, for thereafter they were kept busy trying to keep Tulsa from scoring.

They succeeded until Cook finally counted unassisted after four minutes of play and Keats clinched the game when he drove the puck past Anderson for the fifth Tulsa goal at the 18-minute point.

The game was pretty hot right at the close and when Goyer and Sheppard were struggling for the puck along the boards they boiled over and took a couple of swings at each other with fists. However, there was not much damage done except to their pocketbooks.

Race Tightens.

Results of the games in the American Association last night tightened up the race for second place considerably, although Kansas City retains a lead of 5 points at the top. St. Paul won again and went into a tie with St. Louis for second place with 12 points each. Minneapolis won, bringing its total up to 10 points. Tulsa left the cellar, its victory giving the Oilers 7 points while Duluth lost and dropped into last place. Kansas City lost but has 17 points.

The Flyers depart this afternoon for St. Paul, where they play the two games which were postponed on their last trip north. One of the contests will be played the afternoon of New Year's Day and the other Wednesday evening. They return to St. Louis for games with Duluth on the 9th and 10th.

A crowd of about 3000 turned out for last night's match.

Some Fine Goal Tending.

Anderson turned back 37 Tulsa attempts to score and despite the fact that five tallies were counted against him, it was only due to some spectacular saving on his part that the score was not worse than it was. McCusker also did some fine work in front of Tulsa's net, stopping 30 St. Louis efforts to score.

Cameron knows all the tricks of the trade and partially evened his score with Cook when he dumped the youngster on the ice by the simple expedient of sliding his stick between Cook's skates. Not ethical, maybe, but effectual.

Tulsa kept Moran on the bench until near the close of the third period, then sent this big fellow into action against a tired St. Louis team. He is very husky and his shots have plenty of steam behind them. He didn't score but bruised the Flyers considerably.

Headley's Work Stands Out.

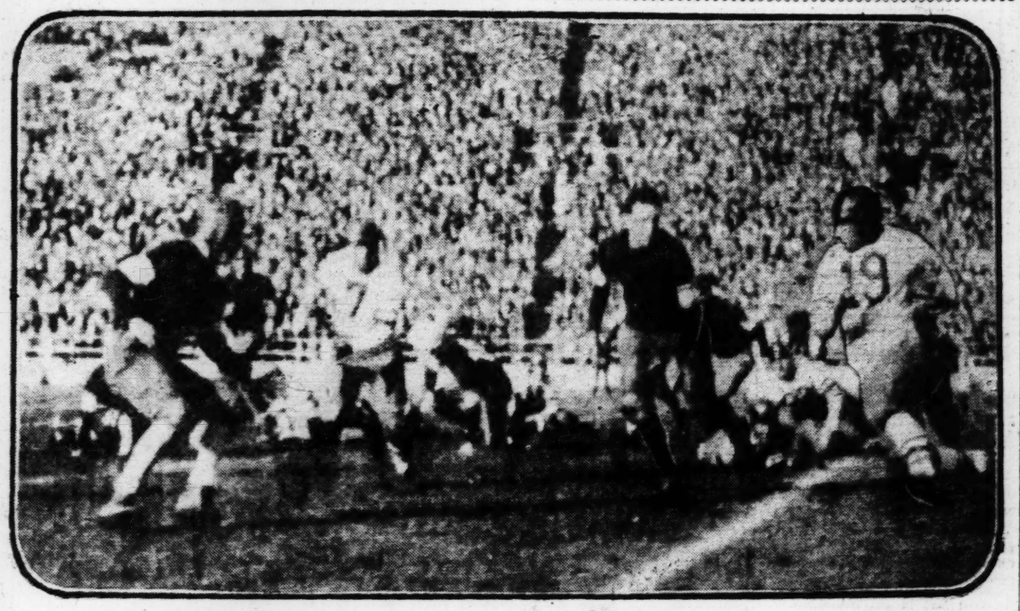
Headley's fine playing helped the fans forget the defeat. In addition to scoring two of his team's three goals, Headley did some splendid defense work. Once he broke up a Tulsa rally when there was nobody but himself in front of

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STANDING OF CLUBS IN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Kansas City	8	4	1	17
St. Louis	6	6	0	12
St. Paul	6	5	0	12
Minneapolis	5	6	0	10
Duluth	3	8	0	6
Tulsa	3	2	1	7

As an All-East Team Trimmed an All-West One First Time



Halfback Weston of Boston College, stopped after a plunge through the Western line during the first quarter. —Pacific and Atlantic Telephoto.

HOWELL OF NEBRASKA CROSSES LINE TWICE; 40,000 SEE CONTEST

The Lineups

ALL-EAST Player.	Position.	ALL-WEST Player.
Haycraft (Minnesota)	Left End	Franklin (St. Mary's)
Nowack (Illinois)	Left Tackle	Dressell (Wash. State)
Gibson (Minnesota)	Left Guard	Diehl (Idaho)
Aschman (W. and J.)	Center	Grannocci (Santa Clara)
Fox (Pittsburg)	Right Guard	Robesky (Stanford)
Getto((Pittsburg)	Right Tackle	Tobin (St. Mary's)
Johnson (Northwestern)	Right End	Ford (San Fran. OL)
Harpster (Carnegie Tech)	Quarterback	Allen (San Fran. OL)
Weston (Boston Coll.)	Left Halfback	Sims (Stanford)
Howell (Nebraska)	Right Halfback	Horan (Wash. State)
Holmer (Northwestern)	Fullback	Hoffman (Stanford)

Referee—Varnell, Chicago. Umpire—Eckersall, Chicago. Head Linesman—Evans, Milliken. Field Judge—Braddock, Pennsylvania.

Score by periods:

EAST	7	6	0	7—20
WEST	0	0	0	0— 0

Scoring: Touchdown—Holmer, Howell (2). Point from try after touchdown—Nowack, 2. (Place kick.)

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Eastern football regained part of the prestige lost in early season skirmishes when a great all-star eleven smothered its Western rival, 20—0, today in the annual East-West charity game in Kezar Stadium.

More than 40,000 persons, assembled in the municipal bowl to witness the benefit contest for the Shriners crippled children's hospital, saw the Eastern stalwarts outplunge, outmaneuver and outpass the Western warriors throughout four periods of bitter battle.

The first victory for an Eastern team since this classic was started in 1925 was gained by the most decisive score yet chalked up.

An All-Eastern Day.

An Eastern touchdown crashed over in the first few minutes of play and thereafter the visitors from the sunrise side of the Rockies had things their own way.

While the Westerners were still reeling under the shock of the first offensive, their rivals, functioning like a well-oiled machine, rushed over another touchdown in the second period, beat them back in the third quarter and finished in the last frame with a spurt that counted another touchdown.

A brilliant backfield combination, featuring Holmer of Northwestern, Harpster of Carnegie Tech, Howell of Nebraska and Weston of Boston College, ran riot through the Western defense—demoralizing it with an aerial attack and crushing it on the ground. Twelve first downs followed the efforts of the visitors while the West was able to chalk up only three.

The West got no nearer to its rival's goal line than the 40-yard mark.

How Scores Were Made.

The first score came when the East drove from its own 20-yard line to the West's 22-yard mark—three passes accounting for the gains. Holmer tossed them all, one to Haycraft of Minnesota and two to Howell. Plunges carried the ball to the 10-yard line where Sims, Stanford, intercepted a pass, giving the ball to the West, but for only one play.

Hoffman's kick was poor and the East started another drive from the 30-yard line that ended when Howell crashed through center for two yards and a touchdown. Nowack Illinois, kicked the extra point.

A 55-yard advance in the second period netted another touchdown. Two passes, from Holmer to Johnson, for 17 yards, and one to Harpster that was good for 12 yards, put the ball in scoring position again. Line bucks carried the Easterners to the five-yard mark, from where Howell once more punched center to land in scoring turf. Nowack's place kick try was wide and the half ended, East 13, West 0.

Bennett Real Star.

Checked momentarily in the fourth quarter and losing the ball twice after reaching scoring distance, the Eastern squad crashed over for the final tally shortly before the game ended. Holmer went over after sweeping end runs by Bennett, Indiana halfback who substituted for Weston, had gained 28 yards and put the ball on the two-yard line. Nowack again kicked goal.

While the entire Eastern squad showed to advantage, Holmer, Harpster and Bennett were outstanding.

MEXICO TO HAVE SOME AMERICAN FOOTBALL COACHING

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29.

MEXICO will be aided in establishing football as a major sport by American coaches who adopted a resolution at their annual meeting today authorizing that a coach be sent to the University of Mexico for two weeks' instruction.

The Mexican University sent two students to the meeting here.

GEORGE VON ELM RETAINS LEAD IN $5000 EVENT

By the Associated Press.

LONG BEACH, Cal., Dec. 29.—George Von Elm, Detroit amateur, today held his lead over the field of 225 golfers at the end of the second round of the $5000 Long Beach open, by scoring a par breaking 71, which coupled with his sensational 65 of yesterday, gave him a low total of 136.

At the half-way mark of the tournament, however, Von Elm held only a one-stroke lead over Walter Hagen, British open champion, who scored seven under par today, for a brilliant 66, to take second place, with 137.

Tied for Third Place.

By breaking the par 72, Bob McDonald, Chicago, and Al Espinosa, Chicago, were tied for third place, the former shooting a 67 today, and Espinosa 68, bringing the score of each to 138.

Mortie Dutra, Tacoma, Wash., was next in the field, scoring a 69 today, which, coupled with his 72 of yesterday, put him in fourth place, with a total of 141.

Armour Shoots 142.

John Rodgers, Denver, and Tommy Armour, Washington, D. C., both finished the second round with a total score of 142, and this bracket also held the total scores of John Golden, Paterson, N. J.; D. Williams, Shackamaxon, N. Y., and Henry Cuicl, Bridgeport, Conn.

Solace Wins Handicap; Pachecho Pays $119 for $2

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29.—The Seagram Stable's Solace, running in his best form, made a show of a high-class field in winning the Southern Handicap, the feature of a brilliant program at Jefferson Park here this afternoon. Solace was never really out of a pull. McGinnis, who had the mount, got him away in front and won with ease. Macedou finished second and Comet third.

Solace took a length lead at the quarter and when Harass challenged at the stretch turn disposed of him and won going away by three lengths. Macedon was slow to get into his stride but when clear in the stretch closed with a tremendous rush and beat Comet by half a length for the place. Comet ran an even race, Sea Rocket, the favorite, ran a poor race and finished far back. Harass was close up most of the way but tired badly near the end.

The longshot players came into their own in the fifth race when Pacheco, paying $119 for a $2 ticket, came down in front, with Blind Hills second and Robina Seth third. Pacheco was kept close to the early pace and in the stretch he closed gamely and won going away by a length. Blind Hills was a like distance in front of Robina Seth. M. Watson rode Pacheco.

Mrs. S. Mayberry's Eloise scored in the first race, winning handily from a good field of sprinters. She ran the six furlongs in 1:13 2-5. Tossabout was second and Runaway Princess third. Senatbr Seth, the favorite, ran a miserable race, stopping right out of the money. Tossabout jumped away to the lead and romped along in front to the stretch, where Eloise took the lead and won by a length from Tossabout, which in turn took the place by a length.

J. Convey rode the winner, which paid $17.

Favorite Takes Second.

E. K. Bryson's Sambo G., favorite in the betting and ridden by J. Serio, won the second race, a mile gallop for 2-year-olds. Sambo G. had to be much the best to win. He was poorly handled and for a few moments it appeared as if he would not land in the money. However, he closed on his own courage and won in a drive by a length. Miss Online took the place by three lengths from Finnic. Sambo G. paid $4 for $2 to win.

Clyde Phillips, the popular Eastern trainer, put over a real good thing in the third race when Letalone with K. Watson up, defeated a good field of sprinters in the third event. He paid $48.40 to win. Genuine attempted to make a runaway race of it but in the stretch the field closed on him and right at the end Letalone got up on the insice to win by a half length. Marconi defeated the favorite, Hot Time, by a head for the place.

Watson Rides Third Winner.

Jockey K. Watson rode his third winner of the day when he piloted Herendeen to victory in the sixth race. He won on Letalone and Pacheco. He was in close quarters coming into the stretch, but bumped through and drew away to win by two lengths. Flag Lieutenant took the place by half a length from Bashful Beau.

Dante, well played, won the seventh race, a mile and one-quarter gallop, by two lengths from Fenlight, with Golden Tinted third.

DEAL INDICATES VALUE OF GIANTS IS $3,750,000

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Purchase of a one-fifth interest in the stock of the New York Giants by William F. Kenny, New York contractor and close friend of Gov. Al Smith, was disclosed today and the disclosure was followed by emphatic denials that the purchase shadowed any shift in the control of the National League baseball club.

News of the deal, in which it was estimated Kenny paid $750,000 to acquire 2500 shares of stock in the National Exhibition Co., corporate name of the Giants, was confirmed by Charles A. Stoneham, president of the club and controlling stockholder. He explained that Kenny several months ago had acquired the entire holdings owned for years by the Soden and Conant interests of Boston.

On behalf of President Stoneham, Secretary J. J. Tierney characterized as "bunk" any talk of discord in the club management or any intention by Stoneham of parting with his controlling stock interests.

"The stock held by Boston interests was for sale and Mr. Kenny or anyone else was free to buy it," said Tierney. "We are to have Mr. Kenny associated with us, but otherwise there is no change in the club's affairs.

"Talk of the Hornsby and Grimes deals last spring being made over Mr. McGraw's head by Mr. Stoneham is pure bunk. They were in complete agreement. Neither those deals nor any others have ever been made without Mr. McGraw's approval."

Newspapers speculated on the tremendous increase in baseball values, based on the reported price paid by Kenny for a 20 per cent interest. It would make the Giants' franchise worth $3,750,000.

JOE STECHER AND HANSEN TO MEET IN KANSAS CITY JAN. 10

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 29. — Joe Stecher, wrestler of scissors hold fame, will meet Charley Hanson here January 10 in a best two out of three falls match, Promoter Gabe Kaufman announced today.

Basketball Scores.

Roosevelt 29, Kirkwood 17.
Webster 18, Clayton 15.
Pittsburg 45, Iowa 39.
Wisconsin 29, Lombard 12.
Penn State 31, Detroit 18.
De Pauw 23, Chicago 19.
Minnesota 29; Cornell (of Iowa) 19.
Notre Dame 29, Kansas 17.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Rochester 29, Fort Wayne 23.
NORTH ST. LOUIS LUTHERAN LEAGUE.
Pilgrim 41, Bethlehem 22.
Ebenezer 57, Grace 15.
Mt. Calvary 30, Redeemer 24.

SILVER SKATES MEET, SCHEDULED FOR TODAY OFF TILL NEXT SUNDAY

THE fourth annual St. Louis Silver Skates Ice Carnival, scheduled for this afternoon, has been postponed until next Sunday because of lack of ice. The event will be held on the lagoon at the foot of Art Hill.

According to Joe Forshaw, president of the Missouri Amateur Skating Union, the postponement will have the effect of augmenting the list of entries since several skaters from other cities will be able to compete because of the later date.

JOE HAUSER, ATHLETICS' FIRST SACKER, SENT TO MILWAUKEE CLUB

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29. — Manager Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics today announced the release of Joe Hauser, first baseman, to the Milwaukee team of the American Association. Hauser came to the Athletics from Milwaukee about six years ago. He injured his knee in 1925 and was out of the game for most of the season. The next year he was sent to Kansas City but later was recalled.

Training by Women for 1932 Olympics to Be Discouraged

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Training by American women athletes for the 1932 Olympic games, to be held at Los Angeles, "will be discouraged," says an announcement today in connection with the forthcoming meeting of the women's division of the National Amateur Athletic Federation here Jan. 3, 4 and 5.

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Miss Boeckmann Likes the 880.

Miss Dolores "Dee" Boeckmann, St. Louis girl athlete who ran in a preliminary heat of the women's 800-meter race at Amsterdam as a member of the United States Olympic team, stated yesterday that she recalled no unusual fatigue among the field in any of the heats.

"The girl runners did not suffer from exhaustion in any greater degree than the men runners," Miss Boeckmann said, "and many of them finished in remarkably good condition. There were several, of course, who were tired by the half-mile run but after a short rest they were quite all right again. There was nothing about the condition of the girl athletes, as far as I could see, that would warrant discontinuing the distance races in the 1932 Olympics."

HOREMANS ON WAY TO U. S. TO DEFEND 18.2 BALKLINE TITLE

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Edouard Horemans of Belgium sailed today from Antwerp aboard the George Washington for New York to defend his possession of the world's professional 18.2 balkline billiard championship in the title tournament here, starting Feb. 4.

Hockey Scores.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Tulsa 5, St. Louis 3.
St. Paul 4, Kansas City 0.
Minneapolis 1, Duluth 0.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Toronto 4, Detroit 3.
Pittsburg 3, Montreal 2.
Ottawa 2, New York Americans 2.
Toronto 4, Detroit 3.
CANADIAN-AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Boston 0, Philadelphia 0.
Newark 1, Springfield 1 (overtime.)

Football Coaches Would Curb Running on Recovered Fumble

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29.—Football coaches of the nation apparently are satisfied to leave the gridiron rules very much as they stand for a few years at least. This was made clear at the annual convention of the American Association of Football Coaches when they had only one recommendation for a change.

It was the sentiment of the association that the rule affecting fumbles should be revised, making such a misplay "dead" at the point of recovery when gained by the defensive team and allowing the offensive team to gain as much as possible when recovered by a member of its own eleven.

Coach William Roper of Princeton, president of the coaches' organization, in his address had a word of criticism of any coaches or athletes who indorse cigarettes in advertisements. He believed such incidents would do much to nullify the progress made by the profession.

The next meeting will be held in New York the Friday or Saturday following Christmas in 1929.

Hugo Bezdek, Penn State coach, tonight was elected president of the association and Jack Wilce, Ohio State, first vice president; W. A. Alexander, Georgia Tech, second vice president, and Tad Wieman, Michigan, secretary-treasurer.

Active members of the board of trustees included Harry Hughes, Colorado A. & M.; Will Abell, Colgate; George Clark, Rutgers, and Bernie Bierman, Tulane, while honorary members are Jack Wilce, Ohio State; Mike Donahue, unattached; John Heisman, unattached, and Dr. Henry L. Williams, Minnesota.

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BIG TURNOVER IN FIGHT CHAMPIONSHIPS EXPECTED DURING 1929

CROWNS IN SIX OUT OF THE TEN CLASSES LIKELY TO BE SHIFTED

By John E. Wray
Sports Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Six new champions probably will be the grist, when the pugilistic mills of 1929 have completed their twelfth month of grinding, due to weak-kneed titleholders or thrones entirely vacant now.

Last year saw the lowest ebb of the pugilistic tide, both in class of contests and in financial prosperity, the game has known in nine years. The quality of the leaders in the various classes is below normal. There is not a titleholder, as the old year nears the end of its course, who could be ranked with the great men of the respective weight divisions of other days.

Tommy Loughran, leader in the light-heavyweight ranks, seems to be the best of his outfit, while Sammy Mandell and Mickey Walker own comfortable margins over their nearest rivals in the light-weight and middleweight classes, respectively.

But Walker, Mandell and Loughran are not the equals in merit of men like Stanley Ketchel, Joe Gans or Leonard, and Bob Fitzsimmons, who fought in corresponding weight classes in days gone by.

A Colorless Lot.

Aside from these three champions, a procession of titleholders would be a parade of the lame and incompetent, or, at best, the colorless.

The welterweight champion, Joe Dundee, is a total flop. A pound or two difference in weight was all that saved his title for him when Jack Thompson knocked him out. He is doomed to defeat if he risks his crown. The next champion in this division probably will be Jackie Fields, the consensus of 60 writers as the probable successor to Dundee next year.

In the world's heavyweight title division we find a group of misfits with no champion. Counting Dempsey and Tunney out of the race—and this writer believes both will remain out—there is an array of mediocrity that is unrivaled since the days of the "White Hopes" of 15 years ago. Young Stribling is the best boxer and the finest looking candidate. If he had the right morale he could go up with a bound. For the rest there is Sharkey, who can't knock 'em dead; Heeney, who is just rugged; Pauline, who isn't much of anything; Risko, Maloney and the other ham-and-eggers.

Clairvoyant Is Needed.

Guessing who will be champion one year from now is a daring bit of clairvoyance. The honor seems to lie between Sharkey and Stribling. If Sharkey regains the form he showed against Dempsey he ought to win it.

But what of it? There isn't a thrill in the entire outfit of heavyweights, with Dempsey and Tunney out of the running.

In the remaining five classes the divisions likely to see new titleholders named are: Flyweight, bantamweight, featherweight, and junior welterweight.

In two of these classes the same condition exists as in the heavyweight division—there is no champion. In the bantam class Fidel La Barba is esteemed the best and probably will gain that title definitely, before the year is out. That will likewise be due to inferiority of opponents rather than superiority of La Barba. He, too, lacks a finishing punch.

In the featherweight division we have no American champion, and Andre Routis recently took the world title to Paris by defeating Canzoneri. The fighters in this class are fairly good, but do not rank with the bantamweights of other days. It is probable that Benny Bass is the best, at this time and that he will become world's champion if matched with Routis. The French fighter caught Canzoneri weak from loss of weight and beat him by outlasting the American.

Weights Saved Schwartz.

Izzy Schwartz is still flyweight champion, thanks to a Shylock pound of flesh. Because the weights were not at championship figure, Schwartz did not lose his crown, when beaten by Pladner at Paris. Izzy scooted for home when a return match at title weights was suggested. Pladner probably will be the next world's champion, if the American will grant him a title bout.

Mushy Callahan, junior welter king, is destined to be dethroned according to the consensus of 69 writers, who favored the graduate lightweight, Jimmy McLarnin, for this crown. McLarnin cannot make the lightweight limit without suffering, but the junior welter class should be "meat" for him.

According to reasonable probabilities the championship list at the close of the coming year will read something like this:

Heavyweight—Sharkey or Stribling.
Light-heavyweight—Loughran.
Middleweight—Mickey Walker.
Welterweight—Jackie Fields.
Junior welter—McLarnin.
Lightweight—Mandell.
Junior lightweight—Tod Morgan.
Featherweight—Bass.
Bantamweight—La Barba.
Flyweight—Pladner.

The rise of these champions should at least produce an unusual number of championship matches during the coming year.

The heavyweight outlook seems dull and drab and can only be brightened if Dempsey decides to re-enter the field. That is a remote possibility.

Future Brownie Hopes



Leonard Dondero, right, Ed Grimes, below, recruits, who will get tryouts with the Browns next spring.

Lithuanian, Born in Scotland, And Cuban Among New Brownies

By W. J. McGoogan.

Among the dozen minor league recruits who are to be taken to the spring training camp at West Palm Beach, Fla., by the Browns next spring are John Buvid, a Lithuanian who was born in Scotland, and Ostrada, a Cuban. Both of them are pitchers, the former a righthander, the latter a southpaw.

Buvid came to this country a babe in arms. He received a schooling at the Longfellow and St. Peter Claver schools at Sheboygan, Wis., where he now resides. Buvid was a catcher for his school nines and did no pitching until after he joined the United States Marines. Then as a member of the U. S. legation guard at Pekin, China, he pitched for a marine team, losing but one game in three seasons. He made a tour of Japan, playing the leading teams of that country.

Buvid hurled for the Spartanburg club of the South Atlantic League last season, winning 21 games and losing 11. He allowed 242 hits, 114 runs, 99 of which were earned, gave 88 bases on balls, fanned 103 batters. He hit three batsmen and made seven wild pitches. He fielded .918 and hit .267.

During the winter months, he writes Willis Johnson, secretary of the Browns, that he is doing a little hunting and bowling while awaiting the order to start for Florida.

Estrada was with Shreveport last season, winning 13 contests and losing 12. He pitched 232 innings, yielded 180 hits, 90 runs, gave 117 bases on balls and fanned 79, hit three batters and made one wild pitch. He hit .255.

Asked what he is doing this winter to prepare for his big league trial, Estrada writes, "Go hunting. Go to horse races. Go to ball games. Deal a little in real estate."

In writing to Estrada, Johnson recalled that Armando Marsans, the great Cuban outfielder, formerly played with the St. Louis Federals and the Browns and that another Cuban played in St. Louis, Cueato. Cueato, when he played here, was desirous of being very polite, but did not understand the English language very well. So on meeting a friend used to say "How I look to you today?" He meant to ask "How are you feeling today?"

Both Marsans and Cueato, Estrada writes, are living in Havana, doing well and send their regards to their St. Louis friends.

Not all of the recruits will feel strange in a big league uniform for among them is pitcher Rip Collins obtained from Toronto of the International League, who formerly played with the Red Sox, Yankees and Detroit. Collins did well with Toronto in 1928, winning 17 games while losing nine.

Then there is Morris Badgro, who was a star football player with the U. of California team. He played his first season of professional baseball last season. Prior to that he had played around the lots in California. Badgro went to West Palm Beach with the Browns last spring and was farmed out to the Tulsa club of the Western League. He played the outfield in 92 games and hit .334.

Few minor league youngsters have been touted so highly as has Ed Grimes, third baseman, who is another who will get a tryout at West Palm Beach. He played with Tulsa in 1928, hit .324 and fielded .935 in 165 games.

Grimes is evidently an old-fashioned ball player who is spending the winter in an old-fashioned way for he writes "At present am residing in Tulsa and not do'g anything but awaiting the call to spring training."

Other newcomers are:

Leonard Dondero, second baseman, Tulsa, hit .373, fielded .975.

Harvey Johnson, catcher, Greenville, South Carolina, South Atlantic League, hit .260, fielded .971.

Tom Jenkins, outfielder, Wichita Falls, Texas League, hit .348, fielded .978.

Ed Roetz, hit .267. Played 20 games at second base, fielded .942, 32 games at shortstop, fielded .873.

George Stanton, first base, Wichita Falls. Hit .300, fielded .996.

Herbert Cobb, pitcher, Wichita Falls, won 14, lost seven.

Richard Ferrell, catcher, Columbus, American Association, hit .333.

SCULLING CHAMPION LOSES HANDICAP RACE

NEWCASTLE, England, Dec. 29.—G. Payne, with a 15-second start, beat H. A. Barry, world's champion sculler, in the final of the annual Tyne sculling meet here today, over a half-mile course. Payne led the champion by three lengths at the finish. Barry had been a decided favorite.

Racing Selections

At Havana.

By TRACKMAN.

1—Cut Rush, Blue Bean, Ormo Girl.
2—Pincushion, Bodyguard, Gonwithim.
3—Azure, Beatrice Morse, Petit Point.
4—Mart Malone, French Lane, Chochosan.
5—NICHELSON, Baby Gar, Low Black.
6—Mandwell, Old Guard, Casting.
7—The Manor, Lochinvar, Sweepstakes.

By LOUISVILLE TIMES.

1—Grimbham, Kanawha, Rut Bush.
2—Pincushion, Bodyguard, Moluzer, Flapdoodle.
3—Pitchfork, Petit Point, Leatherwood, Cho Cho San, Rock Queen, Mart Malone.
4—Michelson, Willie K, Low Black.
5—MANWELL, Captain Martin, Battle Field.
6—Cartoon, Sun Demeur, Jenny Dean.
7—

At New Orleans.

By TRACKMAN.

1—My Vernon, MacFacie, Nae Breeks.
2—Broomster, Honi Soit, Muldoon.
3—Blandris, Thistle Fyrn, J. J. Bambrick.
4—L'Aine, Arabian, True Boy.
5—Jack D'Or, Billy Culbertson, Golden Brown.
6—TEMPTER, Immortal, Hanny Bob.
7—Jim Bunch, Pete Horn, Lanoil.

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1—CLARE AMOUR, Tanglefoot, Marguerite, Willett.
2—Broomster, Hesitation, Muldoon.
3—Mulatto, Blandris, Charming Lady.
4—Tall Grass, True Boy, Arabian.
5—Jack D'Or, Clearing House, Billy Culbertson.
6—Tempter, Pop Bell, Happy Bob.
7—Post Horn, Lanoil, Tanger.

At Tijuana.

By J. J. MURPHY.

1—Pegasus, Realist, Blue Rose.
2—Red Pennant, Koo the Coin, No Effort.
3—Little Boy Blue, Woodface, Chat.
4—PRETTY POL, Sailor Maid, Bon Fille.
5—Famine, Red Banner, Brun Dear.
6—Eddie Ahearn, Numakan, Infinity.
7—Seth's Hope, Sankart, Wirt G. Bowman.
8—Richu, Lewis, Serenader.
9—Cullacan, Trinket, Common Gold.

HORTON SMITH SIGNED FOR 1929 BY JOPLIN CLUB

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JOPLIN, Mo., Dec. 29.—Horton Smith, youthful professional golfer, who startled the golfing world recently by winning the Catalina Island Open Tournament from Walter Hagen has signed a contract with the Oak Hill Club of Joplin for next year, it has been announced.

Smith was born at Springfield, Mo. May 22, 1908, the second son of Perry H. Smith, real estate man and politician. The elder Smith has played but one or two games of golf in his life.

When he was about 11 years old, Horton, with his brother Ren, who is one year his senior, became caddies at the Springfield Country Club, and learned to play golf. Early both boys exhibited unusual proficiency at the game and became locally famous over Southwest Missouri as boy prodigies. A few years later Ren became a clerk in a bank and had to give up the game, but Horton continued as a caddy until 15. Then he quit for a time, not wishing to forfeit his standing as an amateur. Subsequently however, he decided to go into the game as a profession, and at 17 became assistant to the professional at the Springfield Course.

Gets Job at Sedalia.

In 1927 he became professional for the Sedalia Country Club, and also acted in the same capacity at the same time as professional for the clubs at Jefferson City and California, Mo. Late in the fall of 1927 he continued to come to Joplin as professional at the Oak Hill Golf Club, with his brother Ren, who decided to give up banking, as his assistant. At the time he signed with the Joplin Club, Horton had gone to California and participated in the winter tournaments in that state, making a very fair showing in every tournament he entered, not attracting national attention, but giving promise of being a real "comer." In the Hot Springs tournament, late in the winter, he broke the course record.

Reached P. G. A. Semifinals.

In 1928, Horton while making good with his job as professional at the Oak Hill club, was given time and opportunity to play in the National Open Tournament at Chicago, and in the National P. G. A. at Baltimore. He won the right to play in the latter tournament by ranking first in the Kansas City district tournament. At Baltimore he surprised the golfing world by going to the semifinals, being finally eliminated by Abe Espinosa of Chicago.

St. Louis U. Five Opposes Loyola Here on Friday

The St. Louis University basketball team will attempt to continue its winning record, broken at four straight victories by the game with North Dakota last week, in a contest with the Loyola University quintet of Chicago at the Billiken gymnasium next Friday.

The Billikens are scheduled to oppose several strong teams during January. After meeting Loyola, St. Louis will tackle the Kansas Aggies, Concordia, and play the first game of the series with Washington. St. Viator's is also scheduled to play on the St. Louis court during the month.

Other Racing Results

Havana Results.

Weather clear; track fast.

FIRST RACE—Mile and 50 yards: Scissors (J. Gwynne) ..... 3-1 even
Gangster (R. Warner) 6-1 2-1
Sweet Lolz (G. White) ..... 4-1 even
Time, 1:46 1-5. Commissioner, Cahill, Tahoma, Cimmerlan, Arden, Tom Hayes, Shasta Cirgle and Shiner also ran.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Phillip's First (Winters) 6-1 5-2 6-5
Itinerant (Jones) 8-5 4-5 4-5
Rambler (Knight) 4-1 2-1 4-5
Time, 1:13 4-5. Nondaza, Oneora, Dancing Red Scot, Panketa, Good Night, Two Rings, Muskalonge, Splinters also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Tin Hat (Landolt) ..... 3-1 even 2-5
Easterner (Townsend) ..... even 2-5 1-2
Northern Pace (Mercier) ..... 1-2 out out
Time, 1:13 2-5. Supersede, Honest, Ida and Linde and Gyreth also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
False Colors (Kurt-doodle) 5-1 8-5 4-5
Junius (Catrone) 7-10 1-5
Jack Barry (Lauscher) ..... 7-10 out out
Time, 1:13 4-5. Boris, Acme, Sawdust, Shack and Brigand also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Cavanimi (Twinnow) ..... 7-2 1-2 out
Tutti Frutti (Perez) ..... even out out
Single Star (Catrone) ..... out out out
Time, 1:14 4-5. Bramstar and Rock Hawk also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one furlong:
Factsie (O'Malley) ..... 6-1 2-1 even
Cross Word (J. C. Mercier) ..... 2-5 1-10 out
Dot S. (Shelton) ..... out out out
Time, 1:59 3-5. Isetta, Clearing, Babe K. and Chief Tierney also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 50 yards:
Bywar (Smoak) 6-5 2-5 1-5
Bright Knight (Knight) ..... 8-5 4-5 out
Blue Beans (T. Burns) ..... 1-4 out out
Time, 1:44 2-5. Indian Corn, Allezhan, Jimmy Finn and Bellamy also ran.

HAVANA SCRATCHES.

First race—Trifle, Bray Annie, Second race—Lafayette, Leatherwood, Miss Fannie, Speedwell. Fifth race—Johnny Agree, Seventh Race—Merry Pal, War Boy, Red Spider, Jimma.
Weather clear; track fast.

At Tijuana.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Blander (A. Schenk) 23.20 10.00 4.80
Benny Wampus (C. E. Owen) 4.80 3.80
Sayre M. (E. Steffen) 4.40
Time, 1:07. Sky Flight, Can and Gawn, Millstone, High Ball, Princess Bank, Betty O'Neal, Rae Bar, Davis Jr. and Patrick Sarsfield also ran.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Keeping (D. Trivett) 7.20 4.20 4.20
Custer (D. Tapdin) 4.00 3.80
Kalani (R. Jones) 8.20
Time, 1:13. The Squire, Seth's Ballot, Daw, Consent, Owl, Rhodanthe, High Win, Pulpit, Maryland, Bill and Hill, Some Bee also ran.

THIRD RACE—Clubhouse course:
Hard Driver (R. Jones) 13.40 5.80 4.20
Valley Joe (E. Wander) 4.20 3.60
Tenthbuilder (F. Douglas) 4.00
Time, 1:26. Singapore, Kaliton, Four Sixty, Hands Up, Merry Man, Collesenne and Sporting Vein also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Kingman (R. Jones) 7.00 4.80 4.40
Adoiphus (C. Lyon) 14.60 12.60
Duck Lane (F. Parmalee) 8.80
Time, 1:13 2-5. Rock Bomb, Burnt, Told You, Cryhahr, Thistle Glad, Can't Miss, Captain Guard, Eleven O'Clock, Ann Curtis and Cobra also ran.

FIFTH RACE—One mile:
Prospect (J. Wood) 5.20 3.60 2.20
Homefire (R. Leishman) 6.20 4.80
Dr. Clark (L. Trimble) 2.60
Time, 1:39 4-5. Golden Sweep, Marmar, Julie II and Famine also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Deem Thought (W. Barrett) 3.00 2.60 2.60
Waltman (E. Wander) 4.20 3.20
Buckeye Belle (G. Woolf) 4.00
Time, 1:12. Mat Hunter, Croatan, Money Musk, Arno, Millson, Mozart, Flora M. Kil Carson also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Elmer H. (D. Trivett) 7.80 3.80 2.80
Hand Field (E. Lowman) 6.60 4.00
Tippity Witchet (D. Neal) 5.40
Time, 1:47 2-5. Sweeping Ray, Aleto, Alma, Highland Prince, Golden School also ran.

EIGHTH RACE—Clubhouse course:
Clement, Jr. (L. Leishman) 4.20 3.40
Lord Awarzal (R. Jones) 3.20
Time, 1:26 4-5. Wynnewood, Quoin Engadine, The Franciscan, Mib McGee, My Destiny, Briant Kent also ran.

TIJUANA SCRATCHES.

First race—Brandalbane, Polly Mar, Aspa Parker, Sieg Marston, Bonnie Lizzie. Second race—Rose Seth, Persian Poet, Dixie Hurn, Woo Ya. Third race—Gum Boots, Tennessee, Ethel Hagshton, Bird Behave, Oneida, Voordoor. Fourth race—Marie Blanche II, Shasta King, Piute, Ella May, Fifth race—Tanlet. Sixth race—Fandy. Seventh race—Nose Dive, Elshin race—Manda, Pope, Forenoon, Hominy Mannaolu, Blue Lane, Private Seth. Weather clear; track fast.

Racing Entries

At Tijuana.

FOR SUNDAY.

First race, $600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Coalesence	108	Ormontime	105
Lord Assagai	105	Hominy	111
Whiff	108	Monnie Gold	105
Shasta Graney	116	Realist	108
Singapore	108	General Seth	108
Hazuline	108	Pegasus	113
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Nella Jo	107	Money's Worth	110
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Woodface	109	Chat	106
Critital	111	Barrie Oliver	109
Pennsylvania II	111	Norton	109
King Flame	109	Vik	105
Hand Maiden	103	Kanning	105

Fourth race, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, five and one-half furlongs:

Lon Jr.	106	Sailor Maid	106
Bon Fille	104	Cov	111
Chicory	109	Lieutenant Seth	109
Pretty Pol	106		

Fifth race, $800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and one-quarter:

Red Baron	105	aSharla Bally	105
Elmer H	102	Cloud	
aFamine	110	Accelerator	102
*Revolution	110	*Myrthus	102
aMy Destiny	104	*Merry Chase	105
*Sryndaer	105	*Nose Dive	105
*Open Hand	105		

aRamona Stable entry.

Sixth race, $1000, all ages, five and one-half furlongs:

Eddie Ahearn	114	Andromeda	99
aInfinity	99	Proctor Hug	105
aLisco	93	Witchmount	103
bGolden Prine	120	Money Music	113
The Tartar	109	Nassaun	120
bKentucky Babe	93		

aJ. A. Brea Stable entry; bSunshot Stable entry.

Seventh race, $1500, all ages, handicap, mile and one-sixteenth:

Ingram	108	Wirt G. Bowman	104
Sankart	121	Seth's Hope	110
Flafstaff	110		

Eighth race, $900, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth:

*Lewis	109	*Joe	109
*Richu	102	*Mt Companero	104
*Watch The Time	111	*Homewood	107
Cross Bow	113	Omona	98
*Jack Horzan	105	*Rochester II	111

aRenegader 116

aL. A. Brea Stable entry.

Ninth race, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards:

Shasta Ku	105	*Rural Gossip	108
Kuz	105	Shasta Rock	108
*Cullacan	108	*Trinket	106
*Crank Gallor	108	*Sea Fairy	108
*Dominoe Gold	108	*San Toreh	108
*War Salaam	108	*Jean Wengel	105
*Bird Behave	108		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track fast.

At Havana.

FOR SUNDAY.

First race—$800, claiming, all ages, six furlongs:

*Ormo Girl	101	Excessive	115
*Sea Gift	107	Decorative	97
Gold Bells	107	Idorio	110
*Captain Jack	110	*Bess	94
Blue Beans	112	*Kay who	110
Gumkhana	112	Ruby Ruby	94
*Program	110	Ben Shamu	107
Cut Rush	115	Shade Glass	102

Second race—$800, claiming, all ages, six furlongs:

Bachpot's Error	115	*Grassel	107
St. Helena	99	Gonwithim	115
*Original	94	Pincushion	115
Bodyguard	97	Cloud Idoltzer	115
Fred Mistress	107	Pilados	115
Whistle	107	Silvermine	115
*Flapdoodle	110	Red Soldier	110
*Miss Fayette	107	*Pinnernoch	94

Third race—$800, claiming, all ages, six furlongs:

*Petit Point	104	*Lure of Gold	107
Gil Richlie	107	Hanny Jack	112
*Azure	107	*Pinkrip	104
*Temerity	114	*Jane O	107
Beatrice Morse	107	Merry Pal	109
*Last Cent	110	Funny Bunny	115
*Resolute	107	Pitchfork	115
*Bellicose	107	Leatherwood	115

Fourth race—$800, 2-year-olds, claiming, six furlongs:

Broomster	98	Recognition	111
French Lane	111	Mart Malone	109
Cho Cho San	105	Eudeine	112
Mayberry	107	*Commoner	112

Fifth race—$800, the Canard Handicap, all ages, allowances, six furlongs:

Low Black	100	Willie K.	108
Baby Gar	102	Cadet	105
Old Guard	104	Chisholme	113

Sixth race—$800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:

*Battle Field	110	*Casting	110
*Old Guard	110	Ipetta	106
Zeod	106	Powder	115
Vibrator	110	*Capt. Martin	110
Manwell	115	*Monarchist	106
Caribe	106		

Seventh race—$800, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 50 yards:

*Elma Dear	103	*Marabon	99
Union Jack	104	Drone	114
Sunset Lass	103	Ormo Dean	111
Somersetlass	100	Ormo Dean	111
*Sun Demeur	101	Yorktiman	109
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Weather clear; track fast.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

At New Orleans.

FOR MONDAY.

First race—$1000, claiming, 2-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs:

Dry Chief	114	Marguerite	
Kitty Mare	114	Whiff	110
Guaranty	115	*Tanglefoot	105
*Troy Miss	105	*Nell	102
*Celeritis	102	*Zelma O'Neal	102
*Celeritis	102	Miss Fogle	110
*Shasta Lady	105	Nea Brooks	110
Sun Delight	108	Chris Paschen	102
Clare Amour	112	*Dusky Answer	99
*Vanquish	100		

Second race—$1000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Harlek	116	*Donnavedio	106
Hesperian	111	Black Bess	114
Indian Guide	114	Miss Sue	111
Honi Soit	104	*Washoe	111
Ralph	114	Ranger	114
Willie's Maid	117	Whizzing Cloud	114
*Stowaway	111	*Lady Basil	106
Sir Jim	111	Dreyer Taylor	106
Muldoon	116	Realtor	106

Third race—$1000, claiming, 2-year-olds, six furlongs:

*Sauce	104	Flossy Hare	103
J. J. Bambrick	101	Fire Line	100
Devanded	106	Dimona	100
*Charming Lady	93	*Roseling	98
*Dub Cracker	103	*When in Rome	100
*Mullatto	101	Blandris	115
Thistle Fyrn	106	*The Doctor	100

Fourth race—$1000, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, mile and one furlong:

Tall Grass	111	Easy Money	111
*Arabian	110	True Boy	114
L'Aine	115	Black Bart	112
*Polyno	110		

Fifth race—$1000, maidens, all ages, one mile:

Peace Bamy	97	Clearing House	113
Golden Brown	112	Red Trish	109
Billy Culbertson	112	Borough Monger	100
Rosebrewood	100	Thunderclash	100
Illustrious	97	Partner	115
Lucid Drive	112	Sewanee	97
Sunset	106	Miss Pink	97
Louisville Lou	109	Unum	100
Walter R.	100	Fair Girl	97

Sixth race—$1000, 3-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth:

Golden Sight	112	*Regulation	107
*Wanona	107	*Peo Bell	107
*Immortal	107	*Happy Bob	107
One Way	114	*Stuart's Draft	104
The Major	112	Kalkha	
*Harry Carroll	107	Quadrille	109
Mayberry	107	*Pris	107
*Panther	109	Master Walter	112
*Conner Demon	107	Gnome II	117

Seventh race—$1000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth:

Billy Beer	114	*Tillie	101
Fore Lady	108	Tanzer	111
Lanoil	111	Quintana Roo	106
*Dusk	100	Jim Bands	109
Mayberry	111	*Otto Bera	104
*Posthorn	109	Jake	104
*Fortunate Man	104	*Matador	106
*Uncle Sweet	107	*Sun	106
Helen Carter	111	Spere	103

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

SHARKEY MAY TRAIN AT TAMPA ARENA

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 29. — Jack Sharkey has been offered the Benjamin Field Boxing Arena here for training quarters for his bout in Miami with Young Stribling on February 27.

Colonel S. L. Lowry, Jr., Chairman of the City Boxing Commission, said he had telegraphed Tex Richard at Miami and John Buckley, Sharkey's manager at Brighton, Mass., placing at their disposal the 116th Field Artillery plant including training quarters and a stadium seating 9,000 persons.

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THREE-EIGHTHS.

Sporting Duchess ..... :38 2-5b
Agitator ..... :34b
Rosewood II ..... :37 3-5b
Pete ..... :34b
Hayward ..... :36 2-5b

FIVE FURLONGS.

Chief Delight 1:03d
Peter Paul 1:04b
Taylor 1:04b

THREE-QUARTERS MILE.

Thanariot 1:18b
Carbeau 1:18 2-5b
Fairgate 1:18b
Rumbelstilt-skin 1:18 2-5b
Mary B. 1:19 2-5b
Clair Amour 1:18 1-5b
Promenade 1:17 1-5b
Bonnyrh 1:16 3-5d
Elizabeth Bolla 1:17 4-5b

SEVEN FURLONGS.

Good Shepherd 1:31 2-5b
Jazzania 1:32b
Russell

ONE MILE.

Billy Mc-Cue 1:46b
Rosmond 1:46 3-5b
A. S. Bennington 1:48b
My Hobby 1:48b
Big Sandy 1:52b
Black Dancer 1:52b
Billy Vaughn 1:44b
Peter Peter 1:45 1-5b
Crosseo 1:43b
Lonquist 1:42 4-5d
Ederle 1:44b
Fly Hawk 1:48 3-5b

ONE AND ONE-EIGHTH MILES.

Happy New
Crosseo did a good trial. Pigeon Bob was well handled, Ederle worked cleverly. Sporting Girl was best at the finish. Katherine went well. Beechwood II and Good Shepherd worked together. Jazzania and Russell Gardner went handily.

At Jefferson Park.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29.—Following are today's Jefferson Park workouts. Track fast.

THREE-EIGHTHS.

Honi Soit ..... :41b
Padua ..... :37 3-5b

HALF MILE.

Billy O'Hara ..... :50b

FIVE FURLONGS.

Fast Wind ..... :32 2-5b
Marguerite Willett ..... :50d

SIX FURLONGS.

Agitate 1:09b
The Doctor

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Harpoon 1:17b
Guy's Image

Roger 1:15 2-5b
Jack Crain

Uncle Parks

ONE MILE.

Thunder Crash 1:49b
Uncle Boot 1:51 4-5b
Waponoca 1:49b

At Tijuana.

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THREE-EIGHTHS MILE.

Lucky Hit ..... :39 1-5
Cuevas ..... :37 2-5
Babe Ruth ..... :37 2-5
Shoshone ..... :37 2-5
No Effort ..... :37 2-5
Ranee ..... :35
Enthusiastic ..... :35
Smack ..... :39 3-5
Golden Prince ..... :35 1-5

ONE-HALF MILE.

Ben Handley ..... :51
The Hanaman ..... :49

Rock of Ages

FIVE-EIGHTHS MILE.

Buccaneero 1:03
Invictus 1:03
Penalo 1:04 3-5
Crystal Pennant

Tin Soldier 1:05
Arms 1:01 2-5
Lucky Devil 1:03 3-5
Tom Byrne 1:03 2-5
Jack Horrad

SIX FURLONGS.

Normaster 1:18 3-5
Commiter 1:14 1-5
Grenadier Guard 1:15
Infinity 1:15 2-5
Johnny Callahan 1:17
Hydromel 1:01 2-5
Bill Joyce 1:18
Gay Lotharin 1:18

ONE MILE.

Serenader 1:47 1-5
Cockney 1:47
Glenn 1:48
Alex Pantazes

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THREE-EIGHTHS.

Sporting Duchess ... :38 2-5b
Asitator ... :36b
Rosewood II ... :51 3-5b
Flying Sweep ... :50 4-5
Hayward ... :49 2-5b

FIVE FURLONGS.

Chief Detective ... 1:00d
Peggy Taylor ... 1:04b

THREE-QUARTERS MILE.

Thanariot ... 1:18b
Barbeau ... 1:18 2-5b
Parachute ... 1:18b
Humidistillation ... 1:18 2-5b
Mary E. ... 1:19 2-5b
Clair Amour ... 1:18 1-5b
Promiscuous ... 1:17 1-5b
Monger Elizabeth Bolla ... 1:17 4-5b

SEVEN FURLONGS.

Good Shepherd ... 1:31 2-5b
Amazina ... 1:33b

ONE MILE.

Billy McCarney ... 1:46b
Resound ... 1:46 3-5b
A. B. Bennington ... 1:48b
Big Hobby ... 1:48b
Big Sandy ... 1:52b
Black Dancer ... 1:52b
Billy Baughn ... 1:44b
Peter Peter ... 1:43 1-5b
Fresco ... 1:42b
Congest ... 1:43 4-5c
Cederle ... 1:44b
Ty Hawk ... 1:48 3-5b

ONE AND ONE-EIGHTH MILES.

Happy New Crosco did a good trial. Pigeon Hole was well in hand. Ederle worked cleverly. Sporting Grit was not fully extended. Katherine W. went well. Beechwood II in good condition. Patuxant and Russell Gardner went handily.

At Jefferson Park.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29.—Following are today's Jefferson Park workouts. Track fast:

THREE-EIGHTHS.

Hani Soft ... :41b
Padon ... :37 3-5b

HALF MILE.

Billy O'Hare ... Mayberry ... :51 1-5b
Fast Wind ... :52 2-5b
Marguerite Willet ... :50d

FIVE FURLONGS.

Agitate ... 1:00b
The Doctor ... 1:02 2-5b
Harpoon ... 1:17b
Boy's Image ... 1:20b
Roger ... 1:15 2-5b
Jack Crain ... 1:16 2-5b
Uncle Parke ... 1:20b

ONE MILE.

Thunder Crash ... 1:49b
Uncle Boot ... 1:51 4-5b
Yaponoca ... 1:49b

At Tijuana.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 29.—Following are today's Tijuana workouts. Track fast.

THREE-EIGHTHS MILE.

Jacks Hit ... :39 1-5
Revue ... :39
Babe Ruth ... :37 2-5
Sunshine ... :38 2-5
Effort ... :37
Agnes ... :37
Enthusiastic ... :35
Spark Golden Prince ... :35 3-5

ONE-HALF MILE.

Handley ... :50
Hansman ... :49

FIVE-EIGHTHS MILE.

Escarero ... 1:02
Victus ... 1:03
Mahalo ... 1:04 3-5
Postal Pennant ... 1:05
Soldier ... 1:01 2-5
Prius ... 1:01 1-5
Lucky Devil ... 1:03 3-5
Jim Byrne ... 1:05 2-5
Jack Horan ...

SIX FURLONGS.

Forrester ... 1:18 3-5
Annilee ... 1:14 1-5
Grandier Guard ... 1:17
Whitty ... 1:18 2-5
Tommy Callahan ... 1:17
Promethod ... 1:01 2-5
Joyce ... 1:18
Lothario ... 1:18

ONE MILE.

Crusader ... 1:42 1-5
Fancy ... 1:47
Don ... 1:48
Pantages ...

Lindy ... 1:18 3-5
Judge Schilling ... 1:18
Bad Boy ... 1:18
Listo ... 1:18 2-5
Mizzlette ... 1:14
Duckweed ... 1:16
Common Denominator ... 1:18
Sam Torch ... 1:17 4-5

House Girl ... 1:47
Frank Andrews ... 1:47 1-5

Scino ... :50b
Smouldering ... :48b
Ollio ... :47b
Woolorac ... :48b
Dustyrh ... :52b
Peter Prim ... :47b
Sea Bright ... :45 1-5b
Charmaranne ... :43b
Watchful ... :46 4-5b
Pierson Hole ... :47 3-5b
Sporting Grit ... :44b
Tall Grass ... :51b
John Peel ... :52 3-5b
Year ... 2:01b

WILLIAM MULDOON, *Real "Iron Man"*

Life Story of the 83-Year-Old Athlete and Trainer

Wrestling Title Successfully Defended in Two Bouts Against Edwin Bibby in One Summer — One Match Under Severe Handicap.

By Ed Van Every.
Of the New York Evening World Sport Staff.

CHAPTER XIV.

IN THE same year of his second meeting with Clarence Whistler, the wrestling championship was twice defended by William Muldoon against Edwin Bibby. The latter, though he had proved easy for the champion in their first meeting three years previous, is generally regarded, next to Whistler, as the most dangerous of Muldoon's rivals for the wrestling supremacy. In their first match in New York, Bibby had been but a short time in this country. He had come here as the catch-as-catch-can middleweight champion of England, and was not yet practiced in the Graeco-Roman style.

Though he weighed only about 160, 20 or more pounds under Muldoon, who towered half a head above him, Bibby, after he became proficient as a Graeco-Roman wrestler, was more than able to extend Whistler, Bauer and the best of them. His athletic fame became such that for a time he was in the employ of P. T. Barnum, giving exhibitions in the latter's "theater of wonders." The two contests which make this chapter were both waged in San Francisco in a period of slightly over six weeks and are counted among Muldoon's outstanding matches. In the first of these Coast bouts Muldoon had his courage put to an extremely severe test.

Conditions of Match.

MULDOON at this time was making his headquarters in San Francisco and was wrestling handicap matches with various opponents in nearby cities as part of an athletic carnival. In between these exhibitions he took part in a number of genuine championship matches, which were treated as important events in the Golden Gate City. He had taken up the Bibby challenge around the middle of July, and under the following conditions: They were to wrestle two hours, one hour to be Graeco-Roman and the other at catch-as-catch-can style, and with a rest period between of 20 minutes. This meeting was in a building known as the Metropolitan Temple.

Now, it happened that in a bout at San Jose Muldoon dislocated the thumb of his right hand. Three days before the Bibby match a serious inflammation developed and the thumb became so sore the slightest touch caused acute agony and the hand became practically useless. On the advice of doctors the dislocation was blistered, and by the night of the contest the inflammation had spread and the flesh was raw from the thumb joint to the wrist. His friends tried in every way to persuade the champion not to go through with the match until a later date.

A Legion of Friends.

MULDOON had made a legion of friends during his Frisco stay, and his training quarters near Seal Rock drew visits from the most prominent people of the city—the champion was decidedly a personage already, and not alone, on the strength of his title. The elder Hearst was among his visitors and one day he brought with him his son, William Randolph. On the day of the call, it is related, Muldoon had suffered a severe cut to which he had paid no attention though it bled profusely. But the sight of the perspiration-and-blood-streaked body of the athlete was so fearsome to youthful eyes that young Hearst tore loose from his father's hand and ran screaming from the building.

Later, when the boy saw the magnificently thewed wrestler disporting himself in the surf he got over his fright and friendship was cemented that was to endure for years.

Friends could not make Muldoon change his mind once it was set; he was the same adamant individual then as he will continue to be to the very last. He simply would not listen to any suggestions that the match with Bibby should be put off for a time. When the argument was advanced that he had been well-backed by his admirers, and that they would be heavy losers financially should he suffer defeat by Bibby in his crippled condition, his answer was:

"I will not disappoint those who have counted on seeing the match tonight, and," gritting his teeth, "if I cannot throw Bibby, then I'll never be thrown myself."

He Stops the Hisses.

MULDOON kept his word. But what he went through in those two hours few could endure, and his face was contorted in pain in spite of himself. Not only was there the pain of his hurt, but there was no little hissing when he was at times forced by his injury to go strictly on the defensive. Always sensitive to an extreme, he spurred himself to a supreme effort and managed to get his man in a position for a fall, but, with his right hand of no help, he was compelled to let his opponent escape, and the note of disapproval became more pronounced than ever. Then he came down to the front of the ring and raised his hand for silence. And the grim look on his face was such and there was something in his presence so commanding that they listened as he explained his predicament. They cheered him and there was no more hissing.

Bibby, having won the toss, elected to try the Graeco-Roman test for the first hour. The reason was obvious; if he could put the champion's shoulders to the mat in these 60 minutes, then the title was his, and he figured to make his bid while he was freshest. He knew that when it came to endurance and stamina the champion had proven himself unbeatable time and again. With a strength belied by his lithe appearance and an agility that was to be given even more extraordinary display in the second match, Bibby had little trouble escaping Muldoon's holds, and he worked on the champion desperately with every hold known to wrestling science. But the champion was too powerful and his spirit too high and proud for him to succumb to the terrific attack.

When the hour was up Bibby's followers were jubilant. While their man had missed winning the title, they were sure he would win their bets for them, as the next bout was at Bibby's favorite style and one at which Muldoon was by no means adept. But Muldoon surprised them in this second hour, even though having the use of but one hand, by withstanding his opponent's assault in such manner that he was seldom in serious danger of being thrown.

Some six weeks later, when they met again, it was under conditions that made for a fair test. This time the protracted argument as to their respective abilities was decisively settled. They had it out under a big tent that was thrown up on McAllister and Jones streets, close to the site of what was then the new city hall of San Francisco. Within this tent, which covered an area of 80 by 230 feet, a crowd of 3000 was gathered about an elevated 24-foot square canvas covered and padded and with "six electric jets" throwing a poor light over the scene.

Bibby Shows His Speed.

AT THIS match the conditions called for the men to wrestle two hours under Graeco-Roman rules, and if but one fall was scored in that time the winner of the fall was the winner of the match. Bibby took advantage of his superior speed and darted to every side, worrying his man with a ceaseless aggressiveness. His abnormal agility was put in evidence before the watch was many minutes under way. Muldoon clamped on a neck hold that looked dangerous, but Bibby twirled his body with a sort of pinwheel effect and somersaulted clear over the champion's back, landing on his feet like a cat.

Muldoon charged his man, and after considerable fiddling about he nipped the Briton with a bodyhold and dashed him to the canvas. To the surprise of the spectators, the challenger bounced off the floor like a rubber man and again landed on his feet. This feat was duplicated a minute or so later. After this Bibby maneuvered around the champion with such speed that he managed to get a neckhold, with which he bent Muldoon to the floor. But on the floor Muldoon gave a splendid display of his tremendous strength, arching his body first on one elbow and then the other and twisting himself loose and to his feet. On another occasion, with a sudden lurch of his massive frame, he sent Bibby sprawling as though he had landed unexpectedly on a springboard. Bibby then came back himself with a show of strength by suddenly lifting the champion several feet and crashing him to the floor. And so the strenuous work kept up for the entire first hour without a fall being counted for either man.

The Battle Is Resumed.

AFTER a rest of 15 minutes the battle was resumed. Bibby tried more desperately than ever to bring his man down in a quick do-or-die effort as it became plain that Muldoon was the stronger and that his strength was beginning to tell. The match became more exciting than ever "and the packed gathering swayed and moved almost in unison with the movements of the wrestlers." Now the champion seemed to be the more speedy of the two. Four times in succession he lifted the Briton clear of the floor and each time Bibby doubled his legs and with an upward jerk of his arms "glided out of the champion's bear-like hug as though he was a greased eel." The quotations are from the San Francisco Examiner of Sept. 5, 1885.

But the finish was coming nearer and nearer. Bibby was drawn into a neck hold from which there was no escape for all his desperate and tricky struggling. He was forced down and his shoulders were within inches of the floor. The judges and the referee were on the floor almost on top of the contestants as Bibby was pressed further down. Referee Jordan, however, refused to allow the fall, claiming the champion's arm was between the challenger's shoulder and the mat.

Muldoon was a bit nettled at the verdict, but he tore at Bibby again and with a vicious neckhold jerked the Briton's body over in a complete semi-circle and jammed him prone to the floor. This time there was no doubt that a legitimate fall had been registered. There still remained 20 minutes and 23 seconds of the second hour, in which Bibby might even the match. The Briton put everything he had in his try to turn the tables after another rest of 15 minutes, but his bes effors hardly budged he champion.

Tis victory gave Muldoon the $1000 stake and three-fifths of the gate money, which amounted to $2500. And with this victory he strengthened his claim to the Graeco-Roman wrestling championship, which, he announced from the stage, he stood ready to defend against all comers and for any amount of money.

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(Another chapter tomorrow.)



Wm. Muldoon (left) and the retired champion, Gene Tunney.

Brannon will be in camp again, a candidate for the second base job, but the youngster didn't play up to expectations and second is considered an open position.

The Browns will be well fortified in the outfield, with Manush, McGowan, Schulte, McNeely and Jenkins available. Jenkins was obtained from the Wichita Falls club of the Texas League. He is said to be a slugger of parts.

Much depends on Howley's pitchers. Sam Gray and Alvin Crowder hurled brilliantly for the 1928 Browns. If they can repeat and if Coffman and Strelecki deliver as Dan expects them to, the team won't have a bad staff. Blaeholder, Ogden and Stewart should be more consistent winners next year.

Howley says the pennant will be the team's objective and that if he gets another pitcher or two the chances won't be so bad.

Win Indoor Title.

The Allen Athletic Club, winners of the South Side Y. M. C. A. indoor baseball championship, will be given a banquet at the Central Y. M. C. A. next week. The Allens lost only one game, having dropped the first contest of the season to the Wolverines.

CARDINALS SURE TO BE DANGEROUS DESPITE CHANGES IN THE INFIELD

By J. Roy Stockton

With one team winning a pennant and the other finishing third in 1928, you must be optimistic to expect better baseball next year, but, nevertheless, the prospects are that St. Louis will have more interesting teams in the 1929 campaign.

Experts around the country are inclined to discount the chances of the Cardinals, probably because the team, after fighting its way to a pennant in the National League, was thumped in four straight games in the world series. However, the Cardinals are sound in every department, and with so many players available from the various farms, it is safe to assume that the team will be in the title race all the way.

With a new manager in Billy Southworth and with prospects of two new infield regulars, the St. Louis National League team will be interesting.

Rebuilt Infield.

Jim Bottomley, of course, will be at first base again, but except for that position the infield will be different from the inner line of defense of 1928. Selph, a young second sacker from Houston, is expected to replace Frankie Frisch at the Fordham Flash's 1928 position. Not because Frankie has slipped as a second sacker, but because Selph, a hard hitter, cannot play anywhere but second. Frisch volunteered to make the switch to third base to make room for Selph.

With Tommy Thevenow traded to the Phillies and Rabbit Maranville sent to Boston, Charley Gelbert, a youngster from Rochester, is scheduled to play shortstop. He has been described by big league veterans as another Larry Lajoie, fast, graceful and a slugger. In the open market he probably would bring $100,000, and has been drilled for a couple of years to fill the gap at short on the St. Louis regulars.

Rhem May Be Missed.

Except for the infield changes and the fact that Manager Southworth has announced that he will be a candidate for a regular place in right field, the Cardinals will go into battle with about the same forces that won the 1928 pennant. George Harper has been traded to the Braves and Flint Rhem has been shunted to the minors, but there was an oversupply of right-fielders and Harper won't be missed. Rhem may be missed. He always has been a great pitcher in the spring. However, Bill Hallahan is to report from Houston and Herman Bell from Rochester and they are expected to take care of the work Rhem might have done.

Prospects are for another red hot pennant fight in the National League. The Cubs, with Rogers Hornsby at second base, are sure to be an outstanding contender. They probably will be the favorites when the teams go to the post in April. But the Cardinals, Giants and Pirates are strong enough to win. It is sure to be a four-cornered race.

Most Improved Team.

Burt Shotton of the Phillies probably will show the most-improved team in the circuit. With Don Hurst at first, Fresco Thompson at second, Tommy Thevenow at short and Pinky Whitney at third he will have a fast, young infield. He has bolstered his outfield and pitching and with a little luck Burt may break into the first division. At least the Phils will be more dangerous than they have been for years.

Hope that the Browns will do better is tempered by the fact that the Yankees always are with us. And if you can forget the Yanks for a moment, the specter of the Athletics of Connie Mack confounds you.

However, the New York pitching staff sagged badly in the stretch in 1928 and perhaps Huggins will have trouble again next season. If he doesn't it will be the old story of the Athletics and Browns trying to finish as close as possible to Ruth, Gehrig & Co.

No Chance to Trade.

Manager Dan Howley has not added much to the Browns during the off season. He has tried to make trades, but has no players to give in exchange and probably will have to go to the wars with his 1928 forces, plus a few pick-ups from the minor leagues.

Ferrell, a catcher signed after he was given his unconditional release by Commissioner Landis, is the most important addition to Brownie ranks. Baseball men say he is the best catcher developed in a decade and when he was freed by Landis, because of irregularities in club dealings with him, he had offers from every team in the majors.

Hitting Is Needed.

Then Dan counts heavily on a young third baseman named Grimes, who was with Tulsa last year. Howley says Grimes is a major league fielder now and that if he can hit at all will be a sensation in 1929. Dondero, a former football star, is another third base prospect.

Howley is satisfied with Lu Blue at first base and Kress at short. If Grimes can play third base satisfactorily Frank O'Rourke will be shifted to second. If Howley develops a second baseman O'Rourke will remain at the far corner. Otis

ROOSEVELT HIGH BEATS KIRKWOOD IN BASKET FINAL

The Roosevelt High School won the four-team basketball tournament at Webster Groves High School gymnasium, defeating Kirkwood in the final game last night, 29 to 17. In the consolation game, Webster defeated Clayton, 18 to 15.

Roosevelt, after a slow start, took a commanding lead in the second quarter and its margin was never threatened thereafter. Bailey, high point man of the evening, led the Rough Riders' attack by contributing 14 points to the total of the winners. Roosevelt led 6 to 2 at the first quarter and was ahead 16 to 9 at the end of the first half.

The preliminary game was the more interesting contest and the outcome was in doubt until the final minutes of play. The score was tied three times in the second half, but a last-minute spurt enabled the home team to win.

Roosevelt defeated Clayton in its first game while Kirkwood won from Webster to enter the final.

The box score:

ROOSEVELT (29).

	F. G.	F. T.	F.	Pts.
Bailey, R. F.	6	2	2	14
Yaeger, R. F.	0	0	0	0
Kessler, L. F.	5	0	3	10
Ordop, L. F.	0	0	0	0
Dogel, C.	1	1	1	3
May, C.	0	0	0	0
Doran, R. G.	1	0	1	2
Frazier, R. G.	0	0	1	0
Goldmacher, L. G.	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	3	9	29

KIRKWOOD (17).

	F. G.	F. T.	F.	Pts.
Klein, R. F.	2	0	2	4
Parks, R. F.	0	0	1	0
Williamson, L. F.	0	0	0	0
Jas. Thompson, L. F.	7	1	0	9
Becker, L. F.	0	0	1	0
Jack Thompson, L. F.	0	0	0	0
Fedder, C.	0	0	2	0
Liberty, R. G.	0	0	1	0
Ruhl, R. G.	0	0	0	0
Georgie, L. G.	1	0	2	2
Brink, L. G.	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	7	6	17

Score at end of half—Roosevelt 16, Kirkwood 9. Referee—Regel. Umpire—Keamp.

ST. LOUIS HOCKEY TEAM AGAIN LOSES TO TULSA, 5-3

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the St. Louis net by throwing himself prone upon the ice and shooting the puck off to the side.

In the second period Tulsa slammed a goal into the St. Louis net for a score which didn't count because Referee Sills had rung his bell for offside before the shot was made.

When Townsend drew his major penalty, the Flyers took advantage of his absence from the ice to attack the Oilers' goal repeatedly. They peppered McCusker with shots from all angles, but the nonchalant Tulsa guardian stopped them all.

The Disappearing Puck.

In the final session the puck lodged in Anderson's shin guards after Iver had stopped a Tulsa shot and it took two of his mates some time to dig it out.

Duke Keats again starred for Tulsa, getting an assist on one score and scoring a goal himself. The former Chicago Black Hawk is an old head, seems to know just how to hang around in front of the net for an opportunity to count and when the opportunity comes he embraces it with dispatch.

The pace kept up by both sides in the htird period just before the fourth Tulsa goal was scored was probably the fastest of the season here. There was plenty of rough work, also some interesting stick handling and puck stealing.

TULSA.	Pos.	ST. LOUIS.
McCusker	G.	Anderson
Townsend	R. D.	Headley
Trapp	L. D.	Cameron
Keats	C.	Acaster
Marker	R. W.	La Pointe
Sheppard	L. W.	Hill

Spares: Tulsa — Moran, Cook, La France, Moffatt, Wakeford. St. Louis—Gover, Powley, Shields.

First period scoring: Tulsa — Sheppard from Trapp 14:; Marker from Keats, 16:10. St. Louis—Cameron from La Pointe 19:36. Penalties—Townsend, hooking; Powley, tripping; Cameron, tripping; Townsend, tripping. (Each 2 minutes.)

Second period scoring: Tulsa—La France from Cook, 7:25. St. Louis—Headley from Powley, 10:20. Penalties—Headley, tripping (2 minutes); Townsend, charging Shields into boards (major offense, 5 minutes.)

Third period scoring: St. Louis—Headley, unassisted, 2:10. Tulsa—Cook, unassisted, 14:43; Keats, unassisted, 18. Penalties—Powley, tripping; Gover, tripping (each 2 minutes); Gover and Sheppard, fighting (balance of game.)

Stops:	1	2	3	T.
Anderson	11	10	16	37
McCusker	10	13	7	30

Referee—Sills. Goal judges—Jensen and Dinkle. Timers—Nelson and Leacock.

Kansas City Shut Out by St. Paul Team, 4 to 0.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 29.—The St. Paul Hockey Club defeated the league-leading Kansas City Pla-Mors at the Hippodrome tonight by a score of 4 to 0.

The Saints clearly deserved the verdict, as they outplayed the invaders in every department of the game.

Duluth Drops to Cellar as Minneapolis Wins, 1-0.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 29.—The Duluth Hornets lost another hockey game here tonight because they lacked a scoring punch, Minneapolis winning 1 to 0, and dropping the Hornets into the cellar of the A. H. A., the first time a Duluth hockey team has been at the bottom of the heap in many years of ice activity.

It was an odd game. The Millers got the breaks, the chief one resulting in their score when Stuart appeared to have kicked at the puck to beat Goalie Turner in the first period. The Hornets protested, but referee Conroy was far back on the play and evidently failed to see Stuart kick the puck.

Edmund Serrano, at 42, Earns No. 4 Place in District Tennis Rankings

By Davison Obear.

Wray D. Brown, Ferris Tennis Club captain, again heads the men's singles ranking of the St. Louis District Tennis Association. He was named No. 1 in 1926 and again last year. Brown won the St. Louis District and Triple A Club championship in 1928 and also won the Missouri Valley singles title, played here last June.

The ranking committee named Ted Drewes, O'Fallon Park star, for second place honors in the singles. He was finalist to Brown in the District singles championship and won the local municipal title for men players. Drewes is a former National Public Parks champion.

Teddy Eggmann, former Cornell University tennis captain, was placed No. 3 in the list. In addition to reaching the finals of the Triple A Club tourney Eggmann was semifinalist in the District event and also won a number of important matches as a member of the Ferris Tennis Club team.

Serrano Ranked No. 4.

The most important gain in ranking over last season was that made by Edmund Serrano, veteran player. He jumped from No. 10 to No. 4 During the season Serrano defeated such stars as Fred Josties, Herbert Weinstock and Karl Hodge.

Serrano has won a number of important tennis titles in this city since he started play in 1905. In that year he won the St. Louis Interscholastic singles championship as a representative of Central High, defeating Eddie Riesmeyer of Smith Academy in the final.

In 1910 Serrano captured the men's singles championship of the Triple A Club and was finalist the following year. He won the St. Louis city singles title in 1911. From 1912 to 1923 he did not compete in tournament tennis. Four years ago he returned to play, and although not winning any major events as a singles player, he won the St. Louis district doubles championship twice, having Ted Drewes as a partner. With the exception of 1924, Serrano has been named in the St. Louis district's first 10 for the past four years. He was No. 11 in 1924.

Serrano is 42 years of age.

Brown and Eggmann Lead.

Wray Brown and Teddy Eggmann head the list of players in the men's doubles. They won the St. Louis district and Missouri Valley doubles titles during the season. Karl Kammann and Charles Barnes, former Washington U players, were awarded the No. 2 place in the doubles list. This combination reached the finals of the district and Missouri Valley events.

The district men's singles ranking was made by a committee appointed by Karl Hodge, general chairman, and was composed of the following: Otto Thiele, Martin Telle, H. G. Brouster Forrest Stuckman and Davison Obear. The women's and junior rankings have not been completed, but are expected to be ready about Jan. 10.



EDMUND SERRANO

The ranking lists follow:

Men's Singles.

FIRST TEN.

1. Wray D. Brown	6. Herbert Weinstock
2. Ted Drewes	7. Karl Hodge
3. Teddy Eggmann	8. Robert Norton
4. Edmund Serrano	9. Sidney Smith
5. Charles Barnes	10. Fred Josties

SECOND TEN.

11. Karl Kammann	16. Joseph Petrik
12. Wm. Martin Jr.	17. Clifford Bentel
13. Junior Eschner	18. Jerre Portnoy
14. Vernon Tietjen	19. William Bell
15. Charles McMillen	20. Lee Moult

Third ten—(alphabetical order): Edwin Beckman, Bert Hopkins, Wilbur Lindauer, James Murphy, Leon Neuman, Willis Owens, Jack Plunkert, Isidor Rosenfeld, Gus Serrano, Harry Schaberg.

Men's Doubles.

1. Brown and Eggmann.
2. Kammann and Barnes.
3. Josties and Hodge.
4. Weinstock and S. Smith.
5. Schaberg and Norton.
6. Neuman and J. Murphy.
7. Lang and Nelson.
8. Plunkert and T. Murphy.
9. Gilbert and Owens.
10. Rosenfeld and Cantwell.

SPORT SALAD ... by L. C. Daris



He Meant Well.

See by the papers where the Christmas card was invented in England in 1846 by a man named Joseph Cundall. Outside of that he was an upright and worthy citizen as far as we know. Anybody is liable to pull one once in a while.

Noel.

THERE was an old fellow named Cundall;
Of cards he once sent out a bundle.
So we now exchange cards
With our Christmas regards
For the postman to cheerfully trundle.

Ah that, Brother Cundall was shifty,
His invention appeals to the thrifty:
With his cards we arrange
For an even exchange
And break on the deal fifty-fifty.

"Christmas Gift Mailed Six Years Ago Delivered."

A GIFT may be delayed because
Of being lost when mailed.
Just put your trust in Santa Claus.
He never yet has failed.

"Lost Sheep Found by Plane."

Little Bopeep lost all her sheep,
Both lambkin ewe and male:
She hopped in a plane and found them again
And thereby hangs a tale.

Good Hand!

"Poker Player Kills Two Men After Being Shot."

THOSE guys were out to cop or kill,
They drew a bead, but didn't fill;
The other guy with luck was shot,
His pair of "bullets" won the pot.

Which indicates that the best poker hand is the one that holds the gun and plays it first.

Add Fish Stories.

"Fish That Climbs Trees and Walks Arrives in U. S."

Now, you tell one, Izaak.

Believe It or Not—

I CAUGHT a fish the other day
That walked away from me;
And when I went to where it lay
The sucker climbed a tree!

Useful Gifts.

We claim that the acme of Christmas delights
Is a cigarette lighter that really lights.

"Football Held Safer Than Sitting in Chair."

Probably so if it happens to be the electric chair.

There is a 106-hour talking marathon on in New York. Contestants may sleep as long as they wish, provided they talk in their sleep.

The gabfest is open only to amateurs. Otherwise almost any box fighter manager could beat 'em to a whisper.

LEADS AT STAKE IN MUNY SOCCER GAMES TODAY

SUNDAY'S MUNY SOCCER SCHEDULE

FAIRGROUND PARK No. 2 — Russells vs. Schulze; Shreve Av. vs. Angelicas. Referee—L. Robbins.

FAIRGROUND PARK Nos. 3 and 4—Benj. Petty vs. Palermos; Salisbury St. vs. A. C. Bauer. Referee—O. Miller. Pals vs. Hartmanns. Referee—Pat Kelley.

SHERMAN PARK—Finans vs. Kolsters; Y. M. H. A. vs. Squadrons. Referee—H. Prevallet.

CARONDELET PARK No. 1 — South Sides vs. La Sociedad Espanola; German Sport Club No. 1 vs. St. Thomas of Aquin. Referee—T. Lyster.

CARONDELET PARK No. 2—Trumbulls vs. Benton Park; German Sport Club No. 2 vs. Garrett Co. Referee—J. J. Kelly.

FOREST PARK—Union Electric vs. Missouri Pacific; Cook A. C. vs. Academy A. C. Referee—H. Donovan.

CONCORDIA PARK — JUNIORS — Uncles Place A. C. vs. Lee-Schermer; Koch Bros. vs. S. S. Mary and Joseph. Referee—W. Brady.

In four of the Municipal Soccer League group races, the leadership is involved in today's games. A three-cornered tie for the top is a possibility at Fairground No. 2 group where the Russells oppose the Schulzes while the Angelicas meet the Shreves. It would be necessary for the Shreves and Russells to win in order to bring about the triple tie. The probability is that the Angelicas will win and the other game result in a tie or go to the Russells by a one-goal margin.

In the Junior division, at Concordia Park, the Koch Brothers team will have to show its best football to halt the rush of the 88. Mary and Joseph team. If the latter club wins it will replace the Koch team as league leader.

The Pettys have a chance to tie the Palermos for the lead at Ground 3, Fairground. So, too, have the Benton Parks in their game with the Trumbulls at Carondelet Park, Grounds 2.

There is no danger of the Finans, St. Thomas or Academy A losing the leadership in their respective leagues.

BETHLEHEM ELEVEN DEFEATS PHILADELPHIA CENTENNIALS, 5 TO 0

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 29.—A revamped Bethlehem team defeated the Philadelphia Centennials, also weakened by injuries, in the Eastern Soccer League game played here today by the score of 5 to 0. Bethlehem was further handicapped when Johnny Jaap and Johnny Bollo, two veteran forwards, developed a mild attack of influenza overnight and were unable to play.

Joe Morrison and Charles Gerlach, members of the local Wanderers, filled in as reserves and later in the game Guerra, a member of the local Spanish team relieved Allan at left halfback. The lineup:

Philadelphia.	Pos.	Bethlehem.
Green	G.	McClure
Mulsted	R.F.B.	Marshall
Chesney	R.H.B.	Reid
Shortt	C.H.B.	Carnihan
McCurdy	L.H.B.	McGregor
McGrillen	O.R.	Malloy
Lehr	I.R.	Morrison
Unger	C.	Stark
Jackson	I.L.	Massie
Purcavie	O.L.	Gerlach

Goals—Morrison, Stark, Massie, 2; Malloy. Substitutions—Guerra for Allan Allan for for Gerlach, Kukkic for Dunn. Referee—William Forest. Linesmen—I. Harry, Carpenter and Horace Williams. Time of halves—45 Minutes.

DUNLAP IN FINAL OF PINEHURST GOLF EVENT

By the Associated Press.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 29.—Shooting sensational golf all the way through, George T. Dunlap, defending champion, today won his semifinal match in the twenty-sixth annual midwinter golf tournament of Pinehurst Country Club, when he defeated Richard Chapman, 4 and 3.

Dunlap, a sophomore at Princeton, made the No. 2 championship course in a 68, four strokes under par, and Chapman, a 17-year-old school boy from Greenwich, Conn., had a 72.

In the lower bracket of the championship flight, Forbes K. Wilson, Yale sophomore, scored a thrilling home green victory over Phillips Finlay, Sandy Burr Country Club, Redlands, Cal., by a one-up margin.

Basketball Feint Creates Opening for Pass or Shot

Herewith is the twenty-second of a series of instructive articles on basketball, written for the Post-Dispatch by C. O. Benson, assistant coach at Washington University. Others will follow.

By C. O. Benson
Of the Washington U. Coaching Staff.
No. 22—The ART OF FEINTING.

FEINTS are usually developed by the individual and not by suggestion. It is a movement with the hands, body, legs and arms which attempts to deceive an opponent to such a degree as to cause another action to be successful.

An effective feint can be used on out-of-bounds balls when the player fakes the ball one way and throws it another. The most successful feint on these plays is to fake a throw at the opponent's eyes, then pass in the direction you want to throw.

Feints may be used effectively against a guard when you are near the basket. Fake a low pass and then shoot over the guard's head; or fake a shot and dribble around him; or fake a shot and pivot.

If a player makes use of any fakes, he should so execute them that the opponent will move to cover the feinted action, thus giving the offensive man an excellent chance to complete his intended action. Feints are successful for the man who has not possession of the ball. The player can feint a movement one way and go another. The defensive man can also fake a movement so that the offensive player will make the desirable move, thus causing a held ball.

The player who wants to improve to perfection should learn to execute different feints, both on offense and defense. This is done by individual practice and by trying different feints in practice.

Next—CENTER JUMPING.

BABE RUTH'S OWN STORY OF BASEBALL

GREAT TEAMS ARE BUILT UP AROUND ASSETS AT HAND AS TO OFFENSIVE OR DEFENSIVE

Slugger Thinks Old Chicago White Sox Probably Was Greatest Club on Defensive, and Hands Palm to Yankees of 1927 as Run Makers.

By Babe Ruth

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CHAPTER II.

YOU know a game of baseball is like a battle. One outfit digs in behind the barbed wire of good pitching and great fielding and the other side tries to shell them loose with a barrage of base hits. Just like war, it's a battle of defense against offense, and the best organization wins.

If you happen to be a baseball fan who reads the newspapers, you've probably noticed that before a world series or any other big series the writers always print long stories of comparisons between individual players. They point out that Lou Gehrig, for instance, will hit a ball further and harder than Joe Harris, but that Pie Traynor can go farther to his left than Joe Dugan. That's interesting—but so far as doping out the winner of the series is concerned, it's bunk. And it always gives the ballplayers a laugh.

For ball players know that it isn't individuals who count. It's the way a team plays as a whole, that determines its offensive power or its defensive strength. Smart ball players and smart managers consider offense and defense as units, knowing that it takes nine men to do the fielding and nine hitters to make up a batting order that will score runs.

That's where Miller Huggins is a smart guy. Hug doesn't worry about the other fellow and he won't let his players worry. Before he went into the world series in 1927 the boys were sitting around the clubhouse punching the bag and "barbering" a little about what we might expect in the series.

Huggins Won't Worry.

SHAWKEY and Shocker and Pennock had been discussing the Pirate hitters and how to pitch to them, when Mark Koenig broke into the conversation. Mark is a nervous, high-strung fellow who takes his baseball mightily seriously.

"I guess this Wright is quite a whiz," he remarked. "They tell me he can go a lot further after a ball than I can. And Traynor is getting a lot of play, too, at third. I wonder if Joe and I will be able to hold our own with them." Huggins overheard him.

"Listen," Hug said, and it was one of the smartest remarks I ever heard. "You fellows don't need to worry about the Pirates. In baseball all a fellow has to do to win is to drive in a few runs and then field well enough to keep the other fellow from scoring as many. I'm not a darn bit interested in whether Wright is a better shortstop than you are, Mark, or whether Lou or Tony are better men than they have. We've got just nine men to play the nine positions. Good or bad, they're the ones who have to do the job and all the worry about the other fellow don't help a bit. Our job is to make the most of what we have and the Pirates be durned."

Now, if you know a better philosophy for baseball than that, go to it! I don't.

The ideal baseball team, of course, would be one that was equally good on defense and offense and perfect in both departments. But teams like that don't exist. And my experience has been that the team which is particularly strong offensively is apt to be a little weak on defense and vice versa. It's up to the manager or the captain to make the most of what he has in the way of material, and he naturally builds up the department in which he is strongest, even if he has to weaken the other department a bit to do it.

Changes in Baseball.

BASEBALL has changed a lot in the last 10 or 15 years. I haven't been sticking around the big leagues as long as Ty Cobb and Eddie Collins and some of those fellows, but I've been around long enough to notice the change. And it hasn't been in one club or two clubs, either, but in the whole game.

When I first broke in baseball was a defensive game. The pitchers and fielders had all the best of the argument, and a two-run lead could be cashed in most any time.

What an array of pitchers there was in those days! Walter Johnson was in his prime then, and Alexander, and Rube Marquard and Eddie Plank. And those boys could pitch, believe me. They had everything it takes to make a great pitcher, and in addition they were permitted to rough the ball, use trick deliveries and do anything else they could think of to make a hitter's life miserable. And besides that the ball they used in those days was dead into the bargain.

I guess that period is what you would call baseball's defensive age.

And naturally with the big leagues playing defensive ball, the sand lotters and the amateurs took it up, too. Kids in those days dreamed of becoming great pitchers and hitting was just a matter of course. Even hitters like Wagner and Lajoie had to play second fiddle to the Mattys and the Browns, and though a fellow like Cobb might be a marvel, folks kept their eyes on the pitchers.

Even now before a world series you find a lot of the experts predicting that "pitching will win the series." And, all other things being equal it will. But the fact is that the statement is a throw-back to the old defensive age when pitching was the big thing in baseball and everything else could run for Sweeney.

John McGraw First to Use Hit and Run To Offset Power of the Great Pitchers

THE change from defensive to offensive play came gradually. John McGraw was one of the men who was most responsible. There's one cagey hombre, that McGraw. He's always just a couple of jumps ahead of the other fellow when it comes to thinking, and he's always looking for something new and unusual to pull. I've had my run-ins with John and once or twice when we were playing the Giants in the world series I've wanted to sock him in the nose, but he's a baseball wizard just the same.

And while all the other managers were going nutty over defensive play and making themselves bald trying to dope out ways to develop and aid their pitchers, John took counsel with himself and decided that what baseball needed was more action. So he went in for hitting and baseball, and the first thing the rest of the managers knew, John was stealing a pennant right out of their laps.

While other fellows were content to string along with the old-fashioned sacrifice with a man on base, John took a gambling chance with the hit and run, and the steal. Instead of sending hitters up to the plate with orders to "Wait 'em out," John would pat a fellow on the back and say: "Go up there and lay on that onion. Knock it a mile. You're better than he is."

And how the fans liked it!

They had been watching pitching perfection for so long that they craved a change, and given a taste, they began to yell for more hitting and more action.

Other managers began to copy McGraw's style, too, and it wasn't long before they passed rules limiting pitchers on trick tuff. They did away with the spit ball and the emery ball and the other freaks. They built a little more life into the ball and they ordered umpires to use new and clean balls as much as possible.

The Home Run Era.

THE boys began smacking the fences with long drives, outfielders began playing with their backs to the wall and infielders had to move back on the grass or have their legs torn off with hot drives. And that's the story of how baseball's era of defensive play passed into history and offensive play became the main factor in the game. At least that's the way it seems to me—and most of the changes have taken place since I first put on a big league uniform.

Right here, too, let me say that I've been a pretty lucky fellow in that respect. In the old days when defense was the big thing, I was a pitcher and a pretty good one, if I do say it myself. And when things switched over and hitting became the rage Ed Barrow, then managing the Red Sox, turned me into an outfielder and gave me a chance to "take my cut" with the rest of the sluggers. So I got a break going and coming. You can't beat that!

A lot of folks, particularly the older fans, still think that the old style was the best, and they sit around and pine for the good old days when "Pitchers were pitchers instead of throwers," and teams had to fight for one run instead of "getting 'em in clusters."

Maybe they're right. I'm not arguing the matter one way or another. I'm just trying to point out that baseball, as a game, can be divided into two big departments. One is defensive play. That's the business of stopping the other fellow, and it includes pitching, fielding, throwing and the inside strategy that makes two putouts where one grew before. The other is offensive play and that's simply the matter of your own attack—hitting, base-running, stealing, etc.—the business of scoring runs.

Both departments are necessary. And baseball strategy, when you come down to it, is simply making the most of your strength in these two departments.

Right now the fans demand emphasis on offensive play. And what the fans want they get. They like plenty of hitting—so modern baseball is built around the slugger. Some day perhaps public sentiment will switch back the other way, back again to the old days of pitching battles and low scores. If it does you'll see a return to the old style in a hurry and there will be new Mathewsons and new Browns springing up to take the place of the Speakers, the Cobbs, the Gehrigs, and the Hornsbys of the present slugging era.

AS CONCERNS the fine points of the two styles, there's plenty of room for argument. Managers build their ball clubs from the material they have available. If they have too much defensive strength, then they have to make defense their specialty. If, on the other hand, they have plenty of offensive power, then they must build such a club and make their defense a secondary thing.

But to get back once more to cases instead of generalities. Take the time to go over the baseball records and you'll find the great teams of history excelled in one department or the other. They can be classified either as defensive teams or offensive teams.

The greatest defensive team of all time, I guess, was the Chicago White Sox of 1906. Those boys hit so little that whenever a player got a two-bagger he wrote home about it, and if they got more than four hits in a game Commy threw a banquet in their honor. But just the same they won a pennant and a world series, and the reason they won was that they were so good defensively that they managed to hold the other fellows to even fewer runs than they got.

They had great pitching. I never saw them, but the old boys are still talking about Ed Walsh, Frank Smith, Doc White, Nick Altrock and the rest of that famous outfit. And along with their pitching they had wonderful fielding strength plus baseball brains. And brains is one of the biggest assets in defensive play. **A fellow can stand up there at the plate and take his cut without any deep thinking, but to play the field properly a fellow has to have something besides curly hair above his shoulders.** He's got to know his onions.

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Anybody Can Hit a Ball, but It Takes More Than Curly Hair Above Shoulders to Field

THE old Athletics were another great defensive team, too. I've played against them and I know. But coming as they did, at the time when baseball was changing—they had real offensive strength, too. Just the same, it was the fine pitching of fellows like Coombs and Bender and Plank, plus the high-class work of that million-dollar infield, that made them one of the greatest teams of all time. Despite the swatting power of Baker, McInnis, Collins and the rest I still figure that they class as a defensive rather than an offensive team. Among modern teams, the Washington Senators of 1924 rate as one of the best defensive teams, combining fine pitching with some corking work in the infield and outfield. You'll go far and look plenty before you'll find a better infield combination than Bucky Harris and Roger Peckinpaugh put up that year, for instance.

When it comes to great offensive teams, I'm just cocky enough to believe that the Yankees of 1927 were the best ever. Believe me, that outfit of ours could hit and score runs. The records tell the story—and there are mighty few hitting records that we didn't shatter to bits.

Incidentally ther's another place where I've had to argue with my good friend John McGraw. John maintains that the old Baltimore Orioles were one of the great offensive clubs. And he rather has me there. John saw both the Orioles and the 1927 Yankees while I wasn't taking much interest in baseball at the time the Orioles were good. Under the circumstances I'll have to take his word for it—but I'll never admit that the Orioles packed a greater wallop than the Yankees of 1927. I don't think it's possible.

Cobb and Crawford.

THE Detroit Tigers, winners of the American League pennant in 1907, 1908 and 1909, were a great offensive club. They had Cobb and Crawford and McIntyre and Jones and big Schmidt—all of them hitters. And as an offensive club they stood out in an age when defensive play was considered quite the thing. Real hitters those fellows, and they have proved it during the years that have followed, with the now-bald Tyrus still able to stand up there at the plate and hit with the best of them, despite the weight of more than 22 years of baseball activity.

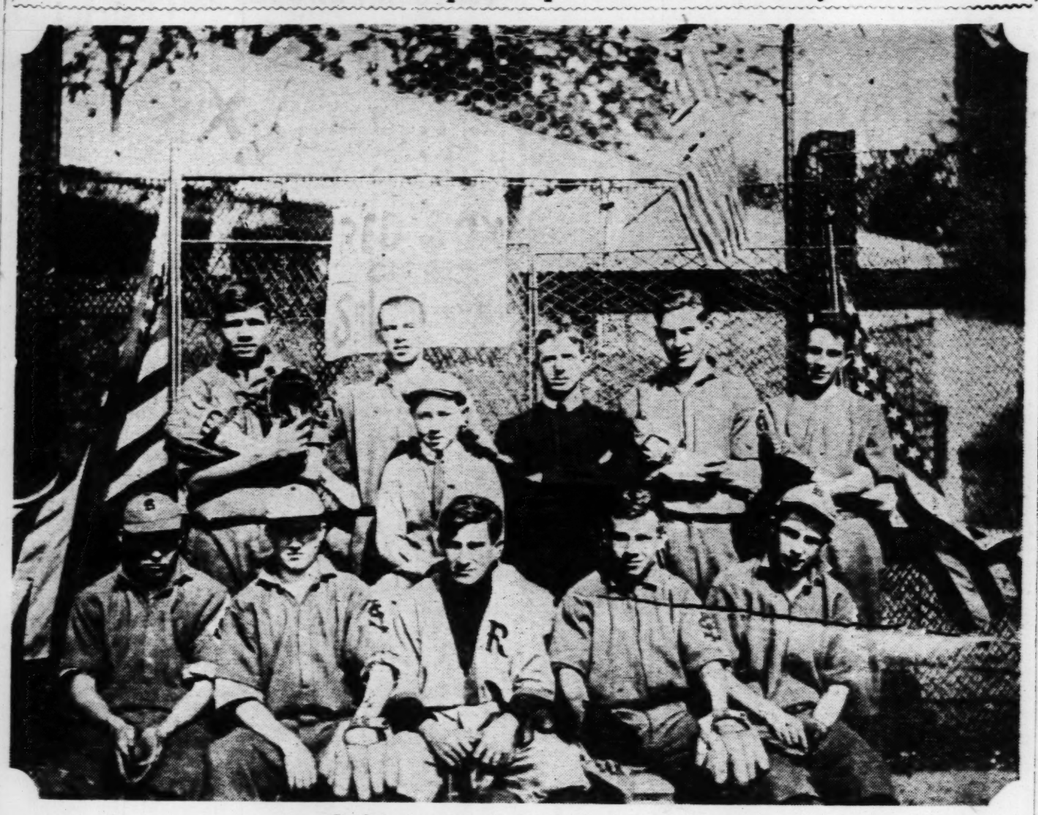
Discussion of great offensive teams would not be complete without some mention of the 1922-1923 Giants—the team that was responsible for the gradual swing from defensive to offensive play. There was a team that was great offensively, not so much on account of its hitting power, but because of its cleverness in base-running. Old-timers still maintain that the Giants' team of that era literally "stole" the pennant. They were masters at base running in an age when base running was a real art.

Perhaps I've rambled a bit. The point I want to make and leave strong is simply this. Baseball, as a game, is divided into two great divisions. One is offense, the other is defense. They are equally important, but in building up a ball club it is very seldom, indeed, that you can find men equally proficient in each department. Consequently most managers determine in what department they are best, and they make their playing plans along that line — weakening one department a little perhaps, in order to strengthen the other.

And at the present time baseball is going through an offensive era with hitters holding the edge and the science of steal and sacrifice playing the second fiddle to brawn and power and wallop.

(Another Chapter Next Sunday.)

Babe Ruth and His Championship Team at St. Mary's School



Ruth is shown at the left in the top row.

Glossary of Baseball Terms Used in Babe Ruth's Story

Barber—a ready conversationalist. Name applied to person who talks a great deal.

Jockey—a rider. Player who "rides" opposing players from the bench.

Taking him for a ride—Ridicule and kidding of an opposing player in effort to disconcert him.

Horse collar—a zero in the box score hit column.

Cousin—a pitcher who is easy to hit.

Hook—a curve ball of any variety.

Dusting off—Making the hitter drop to the ground by pitching at him.

Wasting one—pitching outside and wide of the plate in an effort to head off a steal or prevent a hit and run.

Leaning—taking an exceptionally long lead, preparatory to a steal.

Breeze—an easy chance.

Texas Leaguer—a fly ball just out of reach of the infielders, but too close in for an outfielder to handle.

Doing a Sammy Vick—overeating. Sammy Vick was noted for possessing one of the most voracious appetites in the big leagues.

The Syracuse Car—the Pullman in which the rookies and substitutes ride. Originated with the Giants who used to play an exhibition game in Syracuse each year. Usually the second string men would play the game and their car would be shunted off at Syracuse while the others went on to the next big league town to enjoy a day off.

A sinker—a fly ball that has a back spin which causes it to sink to the ground quickly.

Whittling—term applied to practice of pitchers in attempting to fool hitters with balls just off the corner of the plate. A whittler is a pitcher who mixes up balls with strikes and carries a batter along to a two-two or three-two count before making him hit.

Giving it the old college try—playing to the grandstand or making strenuous effort to field a ball that obviously cannot be handled.

Four for four; three for two, etc. — the ball player's way of saying four hits in four times up; two hits in three times up, etc.

Illini Prepare For Hard Game With the Bears

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Dec. 29.—That Coach Ruby of the University of Illinois basketball team expects a tough game with Washington University of St. Louis here, New Year's eve, was clearly shown, this afternoon, by the way the Illini mentor put his proteges through their final workout prior to the clash.

Practically every department of the game came in for a little consideration during the session and those who witnessed the workout declared the Illinis in good condition for the conflict.

The Christmas vacation of five days did not slow down the Illini, this was clearly shown by the way they went through the session today. Snap was evident throughout, the regulars playing a fast game and their shooting eyes were working exceptionally well and if this same brand of ball can be displayed Monday night, Coach White's men will have to step some to win.

Illini's starting lineup will be Captain Dorn, Mills and How, veterans of last year, and May and Harper, sophomores. Coach Ruby has plenty of reserves to call upon whenever necessary, among them being Bergeson, Hill, Gamble, Solyom and Drew.

Over 1200 prep high school basketball players will be in the stands to witness the game, being guests of the Illini's athletic association.

Illini's conference season will get under way on Jan. 5 when they journey to Lafayette to meet Purdue.

Bears Have Improved.

Coach Don White and his squad of 12 Washington University basketball players will depart tonight for Champaign, where they will engage the University of Illinois quintet tomorrow evening in their fourth game of the season. The Bears went through their final workout in the field house yesterday, at the close of which the Bruin mentor pronounced his tossers to be in good shape for their battle with Coach Ruby's Big Ten aggregation.

The marked improvement in the condition of Ralph Kurz, Bear captain, who has been kept out of the game this season with the exception of a few minutes during the Purdue contest on account of an injured knee, is also counted on to add to the strength of the Bears. Although Kurz will not be started in tomorrow's conflict, White stated that he would very likely be used during a portion of the game, at the running guard position.

The starting lineup for Washington will be the same as it has been all season, with Meyer at center, Lohrding and Constance at the forwards and Wientge and Duncan at the guards. The other athletes making the trip include Christianson, Kurz, Roodman, Meier, Houghlin, Hohn and Jablonsky.

TEAM RIFLE MATCH AT GLENDALE CLUB TODAY

A team rifle match will be held today on the rifle and pistol range of the Glendale Shooting Club on Sugar Creek in Kirkwood. Regulation service or 30-calibre rifles, from the standing or off-hand position, at targets 200 yards distant. It is expected that several women will participate. The program will open at 9 a. m.

Illinois Basketball.

By the Associated Press.

DWIGHT, Ill., Dec. 29.—Long Point won the consolation prize in the Dwight invitational high school basketball tournament tonight by defeating Saunemin, 33 to 7.

Tablers, Weakened in Forward Line, Oppose Sparta Eleven Today

By Dent McSkimming

Sparta's strong football club comes to St. Louis today for a pair of exhibition games just at a time when local soccer players are not well prepared for an intercity test. For today's match, the Tablers must take the field without their regular center, Joe McCarthy, and with reserve material scarce. On New Year's day, St. Louis will be represented by an all-star team, but some of the best men in the league are not available because of illness or injury.

Today's Lineups

SPARTA.	Pos.	TABLERS.
Nuvera	Goal	S. Dueker
Zenisek	L.B.	G. Dueker
Gardiner	R.B.	Zenson
Turek	L.H.B.	Benoist
Walker	C.H.B.	Quinlan
Minka	R.H.B.	Lee
Krabec	O.I.	Brengle
Mattus	I.I.	Cronin
A. Burger	C.	N. McCarthy
Kratochvil	I.R.	Bochnicek
Tobek	O.R.	McHenry

Reserves: Sparta—Fencl, Vondracek, Hlavaty. St. Louis—Phelland Potee. Referee—Oscar Mossmann. Linesmen—Len Zeusches and Maurice Dalton.

Starting time — 2:30 o'clock. Prices—75c; ladies free.

Place—Sportsman's Park, Grand and Dodier.

It's a bad year for the McCarthy clan. Early in the season, Jim McCarthy, regular center for the Tablers and one of the best centers in St. Louis, was forced out of the game with appendicitis. His brother, Joe, stepped in and played a very good game in Jim's place and now Joe is down with touch of grippe. Manager John Marre said last night he probably would use Neal McCarthy, a third brother, or Gus Dueker at center forward today.

Sparta is confronted with no such shortage of regular players. The Chicago team is said to be stronger now than ever before and it was strong enough two years ago to remove the last St. Louis team from the national cup series. Earlier this season Sparta defeated the Bricklayers, 2 to 1.

A Colorful Team.

No American club that visits St. Louis is quite so interesting or colorful as Sparta. Composed as it is of a mixture of Czechs and Scots, the team has a distinctly international flavor. This difference in nationalities and tongues would seem at first to be a hindrance to good team play, but the Czech football clubs are taught by Scotch coaches and the result is a perfect understanding between the two elements. Ike Walker, at center halfback, and Graham Gardiner, at right fullback, are the two Scots. Since its last appearance here, the Sparta club has added three new players, all imported from Central Europe. They are Zenisek, fullback; Minka, halfback, and Mattus, forward. All are said to be players of the highest caliber.

In the first of their holiday season games St. Louis came off victorious when the Madisons completely outplayed the Chicago Bricklayers to win, 2 to 0, on Christmas day.

The all-star team which represents St. Louis on New Year's day will be selected after today's game.

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AMATEUR BOUTS ON EAST SIDE UNDER ILLINOIS A. A. U. RULE

According to an announcement made by Paul Prehn, chairman of the Illinois State Athletic Commission, all amateur fights in St. Clair and Madison counties must be held under the jurisdiction of the Illinois A. A. U. Formerly these two counties were governed by the rulings of the Western A. A. U., because of their proximity to St. Louis, center of activities in the Western division.

In making the announcement, Prehn stated that the Illinois law requires all amateur athletics to be sanctioned by the A. A. U. and that all Southern Illinois, henceforth would be ruled by the Illinois division of the organization. Earl Brady of East St. Louis has been named inspector for Little Egypt.

Unless the Western A. A. U. is successful in a fight to retain the two Illinois counties, the boxers on Coach Eddie Barth's Knights of Columbus team will not be permitted to participate in the Western division championships this season, but will be forced to journey to Chicago to seek title laurels.

BELLEVILLE HIGH PLAYS AT EAST ST. LOUIS NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

After being idle for more than two weeks, the teams of the Southwestern Illinois High School Athletic Conference will resume basketball play Friday night.

Friday's schedule has Belleville invading East St. Louis, Collinsville traveling to Granite City, Woodriver moving to Edwardsville and Alton idle.

At this time Belleville and East St. Louis are tied for first place, with two straight victories, while Collinsville is also undefeated, but has played only one game.

CLASSIC FOR MEN AND ONE FOR WOMEN AT CENTURY ALLEYS

An individual classic for men open to all bowlers will be held at the Century Bowling Alleys, 7508 Michigan avenue, Jan. 5 and 6, and an individual classic for women will be rolled there on Jan. 12 and 13, open to all women bowlers.

The men's event will be from scratch, eight games to be rolled across 16 alleys, while the women's event will be on a handicap basis, four games across eight alleys.

PYLE ANNOUNCES PLANS FOR NATION-WIDE RACE

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 29.—Plans for the 1929 transcontinental foot race, the second to be sponsored by C. C. Pyle of "cash and carry" fame, were today announced in a communication to John T. Woodruff, president of the U. S. Highway No. 66 Association here.

Pyle, if his plans are carried out, will live up to his name of "cash and carry"—for contestants in the next race will put up the cash and carry their own expenses of the long cross country trek.

Pyle will offer $60,000 in prizes to the winners, he told Woodruff, but the contestants "will have to pay their own way across the continent."

Golden Tornado And Bears Aw... New Year's Gam...

By the Associated Press.

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 29.—The Golden Tornado of Georgia Tech swirled about a practice field today with a force that indicated the Southerners, who will carry the gridiron traditions of Dixie to battle here New Year's day against the University of California, were in fighting spirit.

Raleigh Drennon and ... Brooke, respectively regular and substitute guards who have been laid up for several days, will be in the game but perhaps not in the best of condition.

Comparatively light work of the Yellowjackets ... after two days of intensive ... mage and a strenuous dummy ... signal drill yesterday. On Monday Coach Bill Alexander will put the finishing touches on his squad in ... drill.

A highly optimistic atmosphere prevails in the lair of the Golden Bear of California. Although ... apienty was evident in the ... practice session this morning, the confident feeling of the Bears does not carry the earmarks of ... sureness.

Coach Nibs Price has indicated that he is well satisfied with the physical condition of his men and gratified with the attitude the Bears have taken toward the game. One more light workout will top off the Californians' training.

Arousing excitement unprecedented in Rose Bowl history, the game is expected to attract a capacity crowd of 70,000. Less than 5000 tickets remained to be sold. The largest previous attendance was a New Year's day classic was 103,000 paid admissions to the Alabama-Stanford game in 1926.

TWO FORWARDS GET TEAM'S 34 POI...

Two forwards of the Y. W. A. basketball five of Ste. Gen... scored all of that team's points in its 24-14 victory over the Y. W. C. A. team at the Y. M. H. A. last night. Wilma Oberle, with 11 field goals and two foul throws, was high scorer with 24 points. Helen Peterson scored two field goals and six foul throws for the other points. For the locals, Gussie Gruden had nine points and Lillian Kaplan five. In a preliminary game, Thomas A. C. defeated the A. M. Cadets, 16-12.

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He wants, rather, to be very sure of fundamentals. An assurance of improving business for early 1929 does not mean much unless man can feel that his progress represents more than the momentum carried over from a recovery year. He should know whether this prosperity is a self-perpetuating prosperity—whether there is within it the basic forces to maintain it. And when the possibilities are examined in this light, it is not so easy to formulate a forecast for 1929.

Hope of European Trade.

Hoover's election has aroused a nation-wide confidence in the future development of world trade—and its faith in domestic conditions remains unshaken. European countries at last have recovered from their post-war depression. The gold standard is restored. In the years just ahead, it seems reasonable to suppose that American markets will benefit in a large way from increased European purchasing power. The recent rehabilitation in copper here represents partly the heavy overseas purchases of our metal. It is an indication of what 1929 and 1930 may bring to trade as foreign demands assume the shape of orders for American goods.

Take the automobile industry as an example. Time was when it seemed the saturation point was near. Now we know these calculations went wrong, partly for their failure to foresee a rapidly growing market abroad for American cars—a market that looms important to the industry in the new year.

And with the shift in our loans in the Latin republics, ground can be found for the supposition that trade with South America is still in its infancy. Intangible as are these possibilities for great future development, they present channels for growth through which prosperity still conceivably may feed for a long time.

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Inventive genius has opened the eyes of the world to fields of manufacture that promise new life in business. The scientific laboratories are turning out new preparations daily to attract the public interest.

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Prosperity periods in times past have met an abrupt end in a collapse of the inflation bubble. In no previous epoch perhaps has business expansion been so free from this evil as at present. Commodity prices have been stabilized. Industry is demonstrating its earning capacity on the basis strictly of management. Its earnings reflect profits in the business—not gains from the rising volume of an inventory position. It means the prosperity of the day in this important respect rests on a solid foundation.

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Increasing Prosperity Predicted to Mark Beginning of New Year

GOOD CONDITIONS EXPECTED FOR FIRST QUARTER OF 1929 AND PROBABLY FOR SECOND

Basic Business Status Viewed as Sound With Possible Exception of Credit Position Due to Expansion.

By PAUL WILLARD GARRETT
Financial Editor, New York Evening Post.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

AFTER a full year of expanding production, industry has struck a speed not often attained before at this season. All that was lost in seven months of business recession late in 1927, and more, has been recovered. During the final months of 1928, new records were set in the pace of American business.

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UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN INDUSTRY AND TRADE AS '28 ENDS

Commerce Secretary Says Unemployment Is at Minimum—Coal and Textiles Lag Behind.

By WILLIAM F. WHITING,
Secretary of Commerce.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — Some of the more important economic forces which dominate the business situation as we enter the new year are credit conditions, the degree of accumulation of merchandise stocks and of speculation in them, the size of the crops and our current industrial output, the rate of wages and volume of employment and the prospects of foreign trade.

With respect to credit conditions, 1928 has been an extraordinary year. The outflow of gold, which began in the autumn of 1927, continued during the first half of 1928, and caused a reversal in the easy money situation that had prevailed for several years.

Rise in Interest Rate.

Public attention has been fixed on the rise in the rates on Stock Exchange 90-day time loans from 4¼ per cent in January to 7½ per cent in the early autumn, and the even greater rise in call money rates. It is well, however, to note that bank credit for commercial purposes has been in ample supply at rates ranging from less than ½ per cent higher in Southern and Western cities to slightly over 1 per cent in New York City, while open market rates for commercial paper have increased by only 1½ per cent during the year.

Agricultural output during the year was about 5 per cent larger than in 1927, and there was an even greater expansion in manufacturing production, but neither stocks of raw materials nor of manufactured goods have shown any general tendency to accumulate. There is no considerable speculation in commodities and wholesale prices average about the same as a year ago.

Unemployment Reduced

Wages continue at a high level and unemployment has been reduced to a minimum. There has been a continued demand for additional workers by mercantile establishments, hotels and the automotive industry and factories have once more been increasing the number of their payrolls. Labor conflicts in the coal and cotton textile industries were settled during the past year.

Activity in the automotive and construction industries has been sustained and is particularly noteworthy. Automobile production has been at a higher level in recent months than at any earlier period, and contracts for future construction have been substantially greater than in the corresponding period a year ago.

Production of many related products, such as iron and steel, cement, gasoline and rubber tires, has been stimulated as a result of these developments. The textile and coal industries, however, still lag behind.

Foreign, as well as domestic, demand for the products of our farms and factories is steadily expanding. During the past year there has been an exceptionally large growth of our exports of finished manufactures, especially automobiles, machinery and petroleum products.

In general, it may be stated that both industry and trade are exceptionally active as we enter 1929.

Digest of Views on 1929 by Leaders in Business and Finance

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SAMUEL P. ARNOT, president, Chicago Board of Trade: "Surveys of agricultural America provide evidence that farm prosperity has been greatly enhanced."

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GARDINER H. MILLER, president, New York Cotton Exchange: "Looking forward to the year 1929, it is encouraging to note . . . the prospects are now much more favorable."

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E. H. H. SIMMONS, president, New York Stock Exchange: "There has been the significant fact that the United States has become a creditor nation."

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FRED W. SARGENT, president Chicago & Northwestern Railway: "In my opinion we are going to see an era of unprecedented prosperity in the United States in the next year, especially in this Middle West and Northwest territory."

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CHARLES DONNELLY, president Northern Pacific Railway: "Economic conditions in the Northwest in 1928, for a second consecutive year, were marked by consistent improvement. I look for further improvement in 1929.

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GEORGE B. EVERITT, president, Montgomery Ward & Co.: "Year just finished has, from a merchandising standpoint, been the most successful for mail order business."

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MARTIN J. INSULL, president, Middle West Utilities Co.: "To what extent is the appearance of prosperity enhanced, by realizing on our profits and savings of past years and spending the proceeds of current income?"

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BENJAMIN M. ANDERSON JR., Ph. D., Economist of Chase National Bank, New York: "The business situation is sound at the end of 1928."

WM. JARDINE, Secretary of Agriculture: "In 1928 conditions were more favorable for the livestock than for the cereal enterprises. Cattle producers enjoyed the most favorable price conditions ever experienced by cattle industry in peace time."

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IRVING T. BUSH, president, Bush Terminal Co.: "Fundamentals control all cycles, and today they are sound and point to continued prosperity."

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WILLIAM GREEN, President, American Federation of Labor: "The marked increase in industrial production in the last two months justifies expectation of revival in 1929 and a prosperous year."

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ROLLIN A. WILBUR, president, Investment Bankers' Association of America: "Certain it is that all the necessary forces and material assets are at hand to uphold and extend prosperity further. It all depends on balance."

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FREDERICK B. PATTERSON, President, National Cash Register Co.: "There is nothing to indicate a lessening of our industrial and commercial growth."

JAMES J. DAVIS, Secretary of Labor: "We have the right to forecast, for the coming year, even greater success in the industrial and business fields."

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LOUIS F. SWIFT, president, Swift & Co.: "All things considered, I think 1929 is due to show up about as well as 1928."

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ALVAN MACAULEY, president National Automobile Chamber of Commerce: "Leaders in the automobile industry are confident production in 1929 will exceed that of any preceding year."

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H. T. PARSONS, president, F. W. Woolworth Co.: "Viewing the situation as a whole, I feel that 1929 will be a banner year in industry and retail selling."

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LAURENCE H. SLOAN, Managing Editor, Standard Statistics Co. Inc.: "Aggregate 1928 net profits of leading corporations (industrials, utilities and railroads combined) will set a new record for all time."

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F. O. WATTS, Chairman, First National Bank in St. Louis: "While the rise in money rates up to the present has placed no undue burden upon legitimate business, a prolongation of high rates is not a favorable factor for expanding operations."

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JOHN N. WILLYS: "I believe that 1929 will not only see the greatest export business (in automobiles) in history, but will be marked by a record-breaking increase in volume."

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F. R. HENDERSON, President, Rubber Exchange of New York: "Probably at no time in the last 25 years has the rubber industry looked forward with more confidence to a new year than at present."

Mellon Predicts Progress Will Continue in 1929

By ANDREW W. MELLON,
Secretary of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.

DURING the last year the country has made steady progress. Early in the year the volume of business began to show marked improvement over the closing months of 1927, and this improvement has continued. It has been evident in manufacturing, in steel production, carloading, automobile production, building contracts and sales of goods to consumers. All of this is evidence also that buying power has been sustained and that, on the whole, satisfactory employment conditions have prevailed.

Prices in basic industries have not been unduly high and have remained fairly stable, nor does there seem to be any immediate danger of excessive demand sending prices to such high levels as to make a slump in activity, and consequently in prices, inevitable. In the industrial world conditions seem to be on an even keel, and it is much better to have them so, with a slight upward tendency, as at present.

In the financial world there is sufficient money available for all legitimate undertakings. A considerable amount of gold has been exported during the past year. But it has not seriously impaired our credit resources, while at the same time it has helped to establish the gold standard more firmly in Europe and to stabilize foreign currencies, with resulting benefits to our import and export trade.

Insofar as the Government is concerned, the finances are in a sound condition. The debt has been reduced to manageable proportions; the revenues are ample for our needs, and during the past year there has been another reduction of taxes, the full benefit of which will be more generally felt during the coming year.

For all of these reasons, I look forward with confidence to continued progress in the year ahead.

BUSINESS PROSPERITY BASED ON HARD WORK

President of Chamber of Commerce of U. S. Urges That Efforts Be Continued.

By WILLIAM BUTTERWORTH.,
President Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—There seems to be good reason to expect that 1929 will be a part of the period of business activities which began in 1925 and which, with the usual minor fluctuations, has now been continuous through four years.

A basis for this expectation is found in the elements of fundamental strength in industry and trade and in the earnest efforts of business men generally ot conserve these elements of strength.

So long as this determination persists business activities will be in such volume as to permit success in return for useful service rendered with ability and efficiency.

Business activities in good volume also facilitate recovery on the part of fields of business and sections of the country which have been handicapped, and enable them to strengthen the general situation.

Looking toward 1929 we should remember that the period which began in 1925 is based upon the great efforts put forth in the preceding years to increase efficiency in every direction. The years which followed the post-war depression were years of the hardest kind of work. An era of good business activity founded upon such endeavors as were put forth between 1921 and 1925 has a sound basis.

A sound basis gives opportunity for application of hard work. Willingness for hard work has been just as evident in the years since 1925 as in the years preceding 1925. Continuance of this earnestness of effort is our best assurance against inflationistic prosperity and its immediate aftermath.

More Hold Steel Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Holders of United States Steel Corporation's common stock declined 3419 to 160,785 between September and the date of closing books for December dividend. This compares with 96,297 a year ago.

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SWOPE CALLS OUTLOOK BRIGHT IN INDUSTRY

By GERARD SWOPE
President General Electric Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

THE electrical manufacturing business for 1928, on the whole, has been quite satisfactory, with an increase in volume of about 7 per cent.

It is remarkable that the use of electric current in the homes and in the factories continues its high rate of increase from year to year. The 1928 rate of increase is about 8 per cent, and, as stated last year, this is becoming one of the best indices of general and industrial conditions in America.

Basic economic conditions are sound, inventories not unduly expanded, credits and collections satisfactory, earnings of labor are high and employment steady, all of which presage a favorable outlook for 1929.

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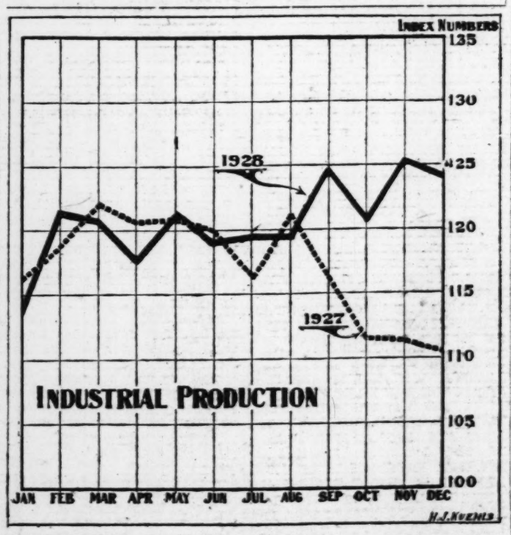
Continued Prosperity in the Southwest Is Indicated.

By WILLIAM H. WILLIAMS,
Chairman of Board, Missouri Pacific Railroad.

Fundamental conditions are good. The aggregate crop values for 1928 are approximately the same as for the year 1927, so there will be no change in the purchasing power of the farmers. Automobile manufacturers are expecting to produce 20 to 25 per cent more automobiles and trucks than during the current year, and the resultant increased steel orders will increase output of ore and fuel.

Railroad traffic during the first half of 1929 should at least equal that of the corresponding period of 1928, after which time the volume of traffic will be dependent upon the crops of the year 1929. There is every indication the prosperity of the Southwest will continue, unless there are heavy crop reductions. We are assuming there will be no financial disturbance which will adversely affect confidence.

New Industrial Production Peak Set



In no way does the contrast in business show up more than in a comparison of industrial production during the second parts of 1928 and 1927.

As the above chart reveals, the rates of output has continued unusually high during the last half of 1928 as against a sharply receding volume of production in 1927.

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SEES CONTINUANCE OF INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY

Industrial Conference Board Head Asserts Wage Level Highest Since 1920.

By MAGNUS W. ALEXANDER.
President National Industrial Conference Board.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec., 29.—American industry as a whole has every reason to feel satisfied with the progress made and to be confident for the immediate future.

Recession in industrial activity a year ago was of short duration, and production in several basic industries will be found to have made new high records when all 1928 returns are in. Employment this fall was approaching the high level of 1926, the previous record year. Wages in the manufacturing industry have been the highest since 1920, and "real earnings," influenced by changes in living costs and hence a measure of the wage earners' purchasing power, were at the highest level since 1920.

Competition continues keen, with generally narrow profit margins on sales, satisfactory returns on investment depending largely on volume and accelerated turnover on intelligent production planning. Smaller companies are finding it difficult to compete with large-scale enterprise, as the relatively high level of failures among them attests.

On the other hand, profits of efficiently conducted large companies able to diversify and constantly "style" their production to meet changing consumer demand, have, in many instances, been most satisfactory, as evidenced by the many extra, increased and stock dividend payments during the year.

The present momentum of business may be expected to carry industrial activity through at a satisfactory pace well in to 1929.

Expects Better General Business.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Samuel M. Vauclain, president of Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia, looks for general business in 1929 to be better than this year. Automobile industry and steel business are doing very well, in his opinion, and improvement in equipment business waits on renewed buying in an active way by railroads.

CITY STARTS NEW YEAR IN A HEALTHY CONDITION FINANCIALLY, INDUSTRIALLY

John G. Lonsdale, Banker, Finds Position Advantageous Because of Diversified Activities.

By JOHN G. LONSDALE,
President St. Louis Clearing House Association and The National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis.

OLD 1928, gray-bearded and stooped from the perplexing cares of twelve months in a busy world, has set his house in order and is prepared to turn over the burdens of the universe to his lusty young son who will arrive on January 1. And now that 1928 is about to pass into history, a tribute should be paid to his managerial abilities. In a general way he is leaving things in such a satisfactory condition that Young 1929 ought to get away to a propitious start. St. Louis and its immediate trade territory, in common with a great portion of the United States, seems to have fared a little better in the past year than in 1927, due in large measure to its diversification of industry, and at the start of 1929 is in a healthy condition financially, industrially and commercially.

No other large city in America at the beginning of the new year finds itself in a more advantageous position to capitalize on its varied resources and opportunities than St. Louis. The outset of 1928 was somewhat clouded in doubt. There was a tendency to slow down in wholesale trade and in manufacturing, and consumer sales were hesitant. But happily, as time went on, conditions so improved that the close of the year saw new levels of production and trade established in some lines.

And while trade moved forward St. Louis made progress in other directions, gaining many new industries, further strengthening its claims as a railroad and an air center, reorganizing its Chamber of Commerce, carrying out bond issue projects, new building enterprises and advancing its standing in education, religion and art. A total of 78 new industries and 104 expansions of existing companies was noted by the Industrial Club for the first 11 months of 1928. The total for the entire year of 1927 was, new industries, 65; expansions, 90.

Banks as a Barometer.

The debits of St. Louis banks, regarded as a true barometer of business transactions, show a substantial increase in comparison with 1927. Complete figures for 1928, of course, were not available. But Clearing House records up to and including Dec. 11, 1928, show total debits of $14,173,180,917, as compared with $12,519,208,726 for a similar period last year. If debits in the remaining 20 days of December did nothing more than match those of last year, the total of 1928 would be $15,051,322,422, as compared with $14,397,350,241 for the entire year of 1927. Individual debits stood at $8,974,614,405 on Dec. 11 of this year in comparison with $8,923,951,172 on the same date last year.

Bank clearings for 1928 also apparently will show an excess over those of 1927, the figure standing at $7,160,939,226 up to and including Dec .12 of this year. For the same period in 1927, clearings stood at $6,981,243,971, with a grand total at the end of the year of $7,287,457,273.

With statistics incomplete on savings, it is indicated there probably will be a slight increase over last year. It is estimated that total savings in St. Louis banks at the end of the year will be around $130,000,000.

St. Louis continues to improve its position as a financial center, especially as related to the South and the Great Southwest. Three bank consolidations have been announced within the year in keeping with the trend of the times for mergers. A few new banks have been organized and a number of new bank buildings have been constructed, especially in the outlying sections.

Retail Trade Satisfactory.

Retail trade for the Eighth Federal Reserve District has been generally satisfactory. Eight of the 11 months reported thus far show an increase in department store sales, three months only—April, August and October—registering losses as compared with the same period last year. In St. Louis, department stores say they have had a slight increase over 1927 trade, both for the year as a whole and for the Christmas shopping period.

Developments of 1928 in retail trade have been the entry of a large mail-order house into the local merchandising field, expansion of chain grocery and drug store systems, and the establishment of huge warehouses here for chain merchandise operations. Wholesale houses on Washington avenue report that for 1928 the dry goods volume was well maintained, with future prospects bright in the South and the Southwest. Clothing manufacturers declare production has made satisfactory gains. The manufacture of men's hats also has witnessed an important development in that the market has considerably increased its

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LABOR SECRETARY PRAISES HARMONY IN BUSINESS LIFE

Mutuality of Respect of Employers and Workers a Factor in Present Era of Full Production.

By JAMES J. DAVIS,
Secretary of Labor.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—One of the most gratifying features in connection with the country's splendid industrial conditions, and one which, I believe, has permanently impressed itself upon the parties who are so sincerely and actively interested in American industry, is the new attitude of reciprocal respect and good will which now exists between employers and employes.

There is no question that the new spirit of mutuality of respect among the two principal elements of industry, managers and workers, has now become a great factor in the present era of full production and good business, with commensurate returns to both parties.

Co-operation and good will are extending throughout the whole fiber of American business life; and this condition is responsible, in my opinion, for the happy situation which prevails practically all over the country as to workers, employers and the general public.

While one or two of our larger industries are seriously affected by problems of over-developed capacity, even those who are most directly interested in them have recently taken on a new attitude as to the future. This applies particularly to the mining and the textile industries. Earnest efforts are being made to correct the ills and improve the general situation.

American business has shown substantial gains, and with the purchasing power of our workers growing more and more significant each year, we have the right to forecast, for the coming year, even greater success in the industrial and business fields. In fact, I see no reason why the present business situation, generally, should not grow more and more favorable; and in some specific industries we may see considerable improvement come to pass.

The spirit of co-operation and good will which has brought the nation's employers and employes into harmonious relationship, with greater productive impetus and increasing benefits to all, is, I firmly believe, a virtue upon which we have laid hold with the view to retaining it permanently in our future plans and efforts in the promotion of peaceful industry and good business throughout the nation.

YEAR'S COMPLETE STOCK BOND AND CURB TABLES WILL BE PRINTED JAN. 2

THE New York Stock, Bond and Curb Markets will be open Monday when the final trading of the year will take place.

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With the verifying of the averages of the different winners in the individual classic for bowlers with averages of 185 and under, held at the Rogers alleys the winner is announced in J. C. Cain, who rolled the total of 1[illegible]0 for the eight games. Second place went to R. Holmes with 1625 while third was annexed by A. Rehels with 1605. W. Kopp took fourth with 1598. J. Graf sixth with 1595 and E. Beck seventh with 1577. First high single game went to A. Fisher with 267 and second high to H. Welsh with 249. The winners of the squad prizes were as follows: Saturday, 9 p. m., Dahmus, 1571; Sunday, 4 p. m., Capone, 1568; Sunday, 7 p. m., Allgeyer, 1547; Sunday, 9 p. m., J. Walsh, 1558.

TWO FORWARDS GET TEAM'S 34 POINTS

Two forwards of the Y. W. A. basketball five of Ste. Genevieve scored all of that team's points in its 34-14 victory over the Y. W. H. A. team at the Y. M. H. A. last night. Wilma Oberle, with 11 field goals and two foul throws, was high scorer with 24 points. Helen Peterson scored two field goals and six foul throws for the other points. For the locals, Gussie Garden had nine points and Lillian Kaplan five. In a preliminary game, Thomas A. C. defeated the A. M. Cadets, 16-12.

Golden Tornado and Bears Await New Year's Game

By the Associated Press.

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 29.—The Golden Tornado of Georgia Tech swirled about a practice field today with a force that indicated the Southerners, who will carry the gridiron traditions of Dixie into battle here New Year's day against the University of California, were in fighting spirit.

Raleigh Drennon and Jim Brooke, respectively regular and substitute guards who have been laid up for several days, will be in the game but perhaps not in the best of condition.

Comparatively light was the work of the Yellowjackets today after two days of intensive scrimmage and a strenuous dummy and signal drill yesterday. On Monday Coach Bill Alexander will put the finishing touches on his squad in a drill.

A highly optimistic atmosphere prevails in the lair of the Golden Bear of California. Although plenty was evident in the closed practice session this morning, the confident feeling of the Bears does not carry the earmarks of cocksureness.

Coach Nibs Price has indicated that he is well satisfied with the physical condition of his men and gratified with the attitude the Bears have taken toward the game. One more light workout will top off the Californians' training.

Arousing excitement unprecedented in Rose Bowl history, the game is expected to attract a capacity crowd of 70,000. Less than 6000 tickets remained to be sold. The largest previous attendance at a New Year's day classic was 55,000 paid admissions to the Alabama-Stanford game in 1926.

A Colorful Team.

No American club that visits St. Louis is quite so interesting or colorful as Sparta. Composed as it is of a mixture of Czechs and Scotch, the team has a distinctly international flavor. This difference of nationalities and tongues would seem at first to be a hindrance to good team play, but the Czech football clubs are taught by Scotch coaches and the result is a perfect understanding between the two elements. Ike Walker, at center halfback, and Graham Gardiner, at right fullback, are the two Scots. Since its last appearance here, the Sparta club has added three new players, all imported from Central Europe. They are Zenisek, fullback; Minka, halfback, and Mattus, forward. All are said to be players of the highest caliber.

In the first of their holiday season games St. Louis came off victorious when the Madisons completely outplayed the Chicago Bricklayers to win, 2 to 0, on Christmas day.

The all-star team which represents St. Louis on New Year's day will be selected after today's game.

such shortage of regular players. The Chicago team is said to be stronger now than ever before and it was strong enough two years ago to remove the last St. Louis team from the national cup series. Earlier this season Sparta defeated the Bricklayers, 2 to 1.

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...ub comes to St. Louis today for a ...a time when local soccer players are ...rcity test. For today's match, th... ...thout their regular center, Joe Mc... ...ial scarce. On New Year's day, St. ... all-star team, but some of the best ...able because of illness or injury.

FARM POPULATION MOVEMENT NEAR STABILIZATION, JARDINE SAYS

SECRETARY CITES GAIN IN ACREAGES IN PLAINS STATES

Says Gross Income From Agricultural Products Will Be About the Same for 1928 as Last Year.

EXODUS FROM LAND TO CITIES LESSENED

Real Estate Values Still Below Position of 15 Years Ago, but Latest Data Is Encouraging.

By W. M. JARDINE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—It is misleading to talk in sweeping generalizations about the condition of agriculture in a country so diverse in agricultural resources and in types of farming as the United States. Each season, even when agriculture as a whole is depressed, brings satisfactory returns to some branches of farming.

On the other hand, the most favorable general conditions never produce equally satisfactory earnings for all farmers. In 1928 conditions were more favorable for the livestock than for the cereal enterprises. Cattle producers enjoyed the most favorable price conditions ever experienced by the cattle industry in peace time. In unit purchasing power, cattle stood during the fall months at the highest point on record. Margins on cattle feeding exceeded all expectations, and the demand for range cattle was strong.

Wheat growers had a different experience. Large domestic production, coupled with heavy production in other countries, caused prices to fall. Indeed, the decline in the wheat market was greater than supply and demand conditions justified. Such contrasts are a usual feature of the yearly agricultural showing. It is imperative, when considering the condition of the agricultural industry as a whole, to remember that no single formula can cover the situation adequately.

Gross Income About Same.

Indications are that the gross income from all crops for the crop year 1928-29 will be about the same as that of the preceding year. Two months ago the expectation was for an improvement. Since then the index of the general level of farm prices has declined. Recessions have taken place in the prices of cotton, corn, wheat, meat animals and poultry.

Production costs in 1928, according to the available data, were not larger than in 1927, and may have been smaller. The unit cost of some of the principal production items was about the same, but many farmers used these items more economically.

Commodities purchased by farmers for use in production were relatively lower in price than commodities entering into family living costs on the farm. Feed and fertilizer prices were low, and the prices of farm machinery were close to the general price level. Taxes and farm wages, however, remained relatively high.

More Produce to Sell.

Toward the close of 1928, the index number showing the purchasing power of farm products in terms of the prices paid by farmers for other commodities was somewhat lower than during the corresponding period of 1927. Farmers, however, had a larger volume of commodities to sell, the increase being sufficient to indicate a gross income equal to that of the previous year. Progress was made in the merchanization of farm work and in the adjustment of marketing to requirements.

Field crop production in 1928 was about 7.6 per cent above the average of the last 10 years, although falling below the 10-year average in production per capita of the population. On a per capita basis, the output was one-half of 1 per cent below the 10-year average. This indicates the increased requirements of the domestic market, for the acreage of crops harvested was the largest on record. It exceeded that of 1927 by 2,000,000 acres, or 2.4 per cent. Acreage of certain crops was expanded to a degree that proved excessive.

Warnings issued by the Department of Agriculture in January and March, and again in May, did not prevent an increase in the potato acreage about 10 per cent beyond normal requirements. Much of the excess area was not dug, or was dug only to furnish feed for livestock.

Farmers Use Advance Reports.

Winter wheat growers were advised in August, 1927, that the outlook was for a less favorable export market. In January, 1928, spring wheat growers were advised that they should hesitate to increase their acreage. Our farmers make better use of economic information than ever before, but the practice might advantageously become more general. But the expansion of acreage indicated confidence among farmers in the future of their industry.

Agriculture manifested a degree of enterprise and energy quite inconsistent with the notion that it is enfeebled and discouraged. Expansion and development in agriculture, though not always signs of health and progress, may frequently be thus interpreted.

So much has been heard in recent years about the exodus of men from the farms, and about the return of certain lands to grass or timber, that the opposite side of the story has been overlooked. In many states east of the Mississippi River, the area in cultivated crops has declined since the war. In certain other areas, however, notably in the great plains states, the cultivated area has been substantially increased. In the six principal great plain states—the Dakotas, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas—the average acreage of the principal crops for the three-year period 1925-1927 was more than 8,000,000 acres greater than in the three-year period 1919-1921.

Expansion of 8,000,000 Acres.

Texas contributed nearly 5,000,000 acres to this expansion; North Dakota and Nebraska contributed about 1,000,000 acres each, and Kansas, South Dakota and Oklahoma contributed the remaining million acres. Colorado expanded its cultivated area about 500,000 acres. Montana and Minnesota each recorded an increase of a million acres.

In all these states the expansion of agriculture was associated with notable technical progress. Wheat growers adopted the combine harvester and thresher and power farming generally. Texas and Oklahoma made great advances in the cultivation of cotton by large-scale methods and power machinery. Minnesota increased its efficiency in the production of field crops and enlarged its dairy industry. That the expansion in question has been justified by returns is indicated by the fact that it continues.

Among the best long-time indexes of agricultural conditions is the movement of population to and from the farms. This movement, heavy during the depression period, is decreasing. From 1922 to 1926, inclusive, the United States had a net annual loss of farm population ranging from 1,000,000 down to 600,000 persons. In 1927, however, the gross movement of population away from the farms declined materially, and the net loss for that year was only 192,000.

Some Movement to Farms.

Exodus from the farms is partly offset by an opposite movement to the farms, which in recent years has varied from 1,000,000 to 1,400,000 persons a year. Apparently the farm population movement is approaching stabilization.

Some loss of farm population is a natural result of the high rate of increase in our country population and of the progressive substitution of mechanical power for man power in farming. Any loss representing merely a readjustment of farm personnel to a diminishing labor requirement need cause no concern. Losses in excess of that minimum, from causes indicating unsatisfactory conditions in agriculture, are diminishing.

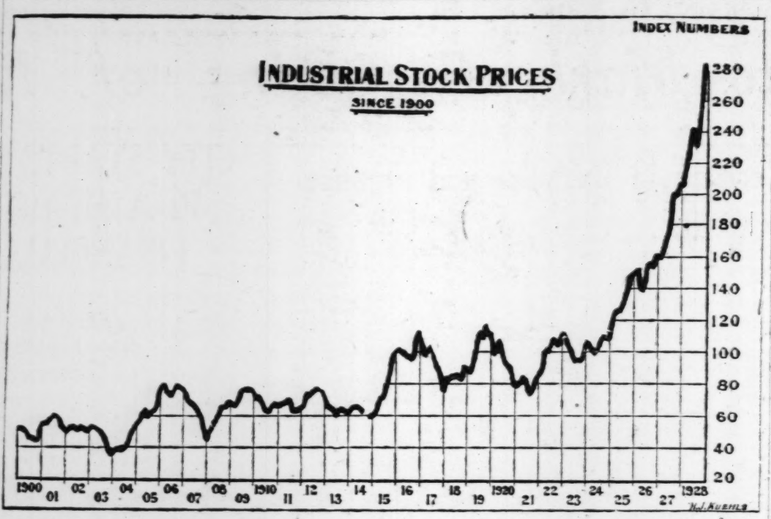
American agriculture admittedly suffered more in the post-war depression than other industries. It is still suffering from the aftermath of that depression. This is shown by the fact that farm land values have not yet recovered from the post-war slump, although other indexes of farm conditions, notably the farm commodity purchasing power index, have recovered materially.

In terms of a dollar of constant purchasing power, farm real estate values last March for the United States as a whole were about 20 per cent below the position they held 15 years before. In 1927, however, the decline in farm land values was less than in the immediately preceding years, and comparative steadiness appeared in areas where the decline had been especially prolonged and severe. Scattered data for 1928 gave further encouraging signs.

At present valuations, the return obtainable on investments in farm land is more closely in line with the prevailing return on other investments than it has been for several decades. This fact is some ground for believing that the corner has been turned.

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Seven Years of Rising Stock Prices Lift Market to a High Level



From the above chart prepared for the Evening Post by Standard Statistics Company, Inc., it will be seen that the trend of the stock market has been sharply upward ever since 1921.

At no time in history has the rise been so pronounced as in this period and, notwithstanding the previous upswing, 1928 added more to the market's appreciation than any other year.

The index reflects the movement in industrial stocks which of course have moved more of late than either the public utility or railroad groups.

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COTTON INDUSTRY CHEERED BY HOPE OF UPWARD TREND AFTER SEVERE DEPRESSION

Head of New York Exchange Says Prospects Are Much More Favorable, With Steadily Growing Use of Product.

By GARDINER H. MILLER,
President of the New York Cotton Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Looking forward to the year 1929, it is encouraging to note that after an unusually severe depression in the textile industry the prospects are now much more favorable, insuring a large or moderately large consumption by domestic spinners, and unless the prices of cotton should advance too far above a parity with the growths of foreign countries, the consumption of American cotton by foreign spinners will also be fairly large.

This belief is encouraging by the fact that exports to Dec. 7 were more than 500,000 bales larger than at the same time last year.

The extraordinary expansion in the automobile trade, which, as is well known, consumes a very large amount of cotton for tires, upholstery, etc., has resulted in a record-breaking consumption of cotton for automobile purposes. This increase has offset the decreased use of cotton owing to the use of other fabrics for wearing apparel, such as rayon, silk, etc.

Growth in Use of Cotton.

With labor well employed and the purchasing power of the country larger than ever before in its history, there is every reason to anticipate a fairly large consumption of American cotton during 1929. The steady expansion in the world's consumption of cotton, as revealed by the studies of the Department of Agriculture, shows an increase in the per capita consumption during recent years, until world requirements are now around 15,000,000 bales of American cotton per annum.

The question of supply is always uncertain owing to the vicissitudes of weather, but now increasingly so owing to the recurrence of weevil activity and damage on a larger scale than for the last five years. Weevil are reported to have entered hibernation this fall in huge numbers, and a repetition the coming year of the rainy season of 1928 will undoubtedly prevent the South from raising a large crop of cotton in 1929.

On the other hand, the growing of cotton in other countries of the world is steadily increasing and will tend to increase relatively faster than cotton growing in the United States, if the price of American cotton is maintained at a level which makes the growing of the staple in foreign countries increasingly profitable.

Change for the Better.

Despite an increase of 11.4 per cent in the acreage planted to cotton in the spring of 1928, the final yield is turning out to be considerably less than the largely increased acreage should yield under normal conditions.

The year 1928 has been marked by very heavy curtailment, not only by domestic spinners, but also by cotton manufacturers abroad. During the last quarter of the year a marked improvement in the demand for cotton goods has occurred, and it is gratifying to note the marked change for the better, particularly in this country. The outlook now is for a world consumption of American cotton 750,000 bales or more in excess of the yield, which will to that extent reduce the carryover of American cotton, which on July 31 last was estimated to be roughly 5,000,000 bales, as against 7,750,000 bales the year previous.

Checks on Manipulation.

During the spring of 1928 bills were introduced in Congress providing for strict regulation of the cotton exchanges of the country and having for their objectives limitation of interstate establishment of a control committee and delivery of cotton at Southern points. These bills failed of passage. Meanwhile the New York Cotton Exchange amended its by-laws and rules to include all three of the provisions of the bills. The changes in the by-laws will become effective at a date to be fixed by the board of managers of the New York Cotton Exchange.

These changes have been characterized as making a new era in the history of the New York Cotton Exchange and have been generally commended as tending to afford a broader and safer market for hedging purposes and also in removing the fear of manipulation which has heretofore resulted at times in abnormal parities between markets and between various months in New York. It is believed these changes will result in a decided increase in the business of the New York Cotton Exchange.

GOOD CONDITIONS EXPECTED FOR FIRST QUARTER OF 1929

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than a year ago, the railroads 5 per cent more.

In the field of industry the sharpest earning gains over 1927 have been in the apparel, radio and phonograph, copper, silk, motor accessory, leather, oil, mining and smelting, theater, automobile, machinery, chemical, office equipment, steel and food products groups. Virtually all the major lines of industry in this country have participated in the improvement. That seems to suggest the presence of basic conditions that are sound.

Yet one thing remains in doubt—the credit position. Through an insatiable public appetite for stock speculation account, our credits have been hugely expanded without the support of a broadened base. Roughly, the loss of $500,000,000 in gold during the last year reduces the available credit by 10 times that amount, or $5,000,000,000.

Country Using More Credit.

And in the last year the outstanding credits of our member banks have been reduced in no such proportion. They have not been reduced at all. Instead, they have grown. On a narrowed credit base, the country is using vastly more credit.

That this country, with its great riches, has nearly reached the limit of its possible credit expansion nobody contends. What the Reserve officials do with reason fear is that in time the creation of new credits for market uses will tighten the money structure to the detriment of business. They fear that eventually the stock market and business will find themselves in competition for funds.

To date, industry has been able to obtain all the money it has needed in legitimate enterprises at a reasonable charge. The 1928 advance in funds has been more pronounced in rates that affect the market than in those for business. Call money rose from an early 1928 low of 3½ per cent to a late 1928 high of 12 per cent, and 90-day time money, similarly, from 4¾ per cent to 7¾ per cent. But the corresponding rise in commercial paper rates was only from 4 per cent to 5½ per cent. This disparity is a reflection of the Federal Reserve system's present money policy—a policy desiged to check security speculation without choking business.

Power of Officials Limited.

But it is not in the power of the Reserve officials to designate precisely the uses to which their credit may be put. And they cannot indefinitely hope to supply industry with funds at a reasonable rate if the stock market continues to create credit without sufficient regard for fundamentals. That is why the 1929 money position looms so important in serious forecasts for the new year.

Summarizing, improvement in business over 1928 seems definitely in prospect for the first quarter of 1929—and probably for the second quarter. A return of European purchasing power, stabilized commodity prices, efficient transportation facilitating a rapid flow of goods from production into consumption, high wages, a record industrial output and inventive genius each presents a strong force calculated to sustain prosperity for a time. Basic conditions remain sound with one important exception—the credit position. Whether a tightening rate for funds will eventually dishearten industry is the essential question to which an answer can be supplied only in developments as the year advances.

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AID FOR BACKWARD INDUSTRIES URGED BY LABOR'S CHIEF

William Green of American Federation Says Coal and Textiles Must Not Retard Progress.

By WILLIAM GREEN,
President American Federation of Labor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The past year has been one of irregular trends. Factory employment and pay rolls are higher than at the beginning of the year. There are indications that the coming year will bring increased industrial activity. I think we may expect new industrial records in some industries in the coming year. It is on the revival of industry in the past few months that this prediction is based.

However, we need to examine certain elements that made for depression in the early months of this year in order to safeguard and stabilize our new progress. In the first part of the year unemployment was widespread, production at a low level and retail prices high. The effect of this was to reduce buying power of workers—a disturbing condition for business welfare.

Irregularity in production output is much more strikingly characteristic of some industries than others. Sometimes this means that the industries have failed to keep pace with technical and management advance. But the backwardness of the industry contributes to unemployment and retardation of general prosperity. Unemployment in any industry is a danger signal.

That labor may be able to supply information on this point, the American Federation of Labor is now gathering and publishing unemployment figures for 24 industrial centers. High unemployment develops before we are conscious of it unless we have danger signals.

In addition to unemployment due to production irregularities, we must guard against unemployment through displacement of workers by machinery and improved technical processes. We need facts which will show us the extent of this problem in order to plan for the maintenance of industrial prosperity.

We need to do something about our backward industries during the coming year—textiles and coal—so that they, too, may lift instead of retard prosperity, and that those employed therein may share in progress.

The marked increase in industrial production in the past two months justifies expectation of revival in 1929 and a prosperous year. We need to see that all industrial groups share this prosperity and plan for its sustained growth.

OVER-EXPANDED CONDITION IN THE CEMENT INDUSTRY

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Although cement shipments have advanced to an estimated 30 per cent in 1928 above the average for 10 years since the war, both the value of product and the value added by manufacture are on the decline.

The situation is due in large measure to the over-expanded condition in the industry, in which it is possible to produce 30 per cent more cement than is consumed. Voluntary curtailment of production is generally recognized as essential.

Another contributing factor is the menace of foreign cement which, entering in increasing quantities because of lack of tariff protection, is forcing mills to sell for cost or less.

Shipments in 1928 probably will show a decline in rate of increase, although the building situation would indicate a general stimulation in 1929. Use of cement in highway work, particularly for super-highways, grade separations and large parking garages continually tends to increase. Another growing market is fireproof construction.

New Capital Issues

The New York Evening Post compilation of new offerings in the year 1928, showing individual totals each week and year's aggregate, compared with 1927 of domestic bonds, foreign bonds, all bonds, stocks and all issues, is presented in the appended table:

Week ended	Total domestic bonds	Foreign bonds	All bonds	Stocks	All issues, 1928	All issues, 1927
Jan. 7	$35,141	.....	$35,141	.....	$35,141	$131,157
14	117,813	.....	117,813	31,190	149,003	198,278
21	102,253	18,056	120,309	17,200	137,509	180,000
28	35,333	108,162	143,495	18,295	161,790	154,209
Feb. 4	111,440	90,750	202,190	12,082	214,272	316,409
11	113,077	37,116	150,193	33,508	183,701	194,277
18	66,695	20,750	87,443	900	88,343	84,651
25	110,965	10,000	120,965	33,998	154,963	85,754
Mar. 3	204,413	48,851	253,263	17,335	270,598	86,287
10	85,278	45,000	130,278	5,858	136,136	147,598
17	59,978	14,720	74,698	17,449	92,173	92,110
24	140,392	18,250	158,642	32,836	139,478	140,791
31	40,563	45,500	86,063	51,965	138,028	80,132
April 7	166,025	65,770	231,795	18,005	250,800	193,791
14	104,236	10,250	114,486	43,177	157,663	185,743
21	100,861	3,000	103,861	32,025	135,886	131,547
28	132,360	25,360	157,720	39,461	197,181	176,990
May 5	82,274	62,000	144,274	78,592	222,866	122,064
12	41,892	93,500	135,392	59,336	194,728	242,603
19	112,327	9,000	121,327	24,454	145,781	231,408
26	37,281	21,250	58,531	41,259	97,890	150,749
June 2	32,750	58,135	90,885	23,000	113,885	85,343
9	119,793	110,200	229,993	37,059	258,052	276,614
16	14,801	15,250	30,151	53,088	83,239	125,072
23	37,174	3,500	40,674	13,295	54,969	96,272
30	42,580	73,000	115,580	21,113	136,693	63,818
July 7	9,198	3,400	12,598	1,106	13,704	78,493
14	21,028	23,000	44,028	16,274	59,302	85,352
21	22,629	.....	22,629	900	23,529	81,574
28	12,698	18,296	31,094	14,605	45,699	84,588
Aug. 4	3,260	.....	3,260	2,860	6,120	38,233
11	53,450	.....	53,450	11,000	64,450	49,127
18	36,950	.....	36,950	4,467	41,417	65,078
25	10,373	.....	10,373	280	10,653	121,306
Sept. 1	9,359	.....	9,359	2,125	11,484	86,040
8	26,116	16,000	42,116	12,960	55,076	44,708
15	89,515	4,500	104,015	9,889	113,904	226,414
22	39,952	23,000	53,952	50,193	110,145	150,496
29	38,300	30,000	58,300	20,302	78,602	84,053
Oct. 6	62,813	.....	62,813	18,945	81,758	91,510
13	36,731	6,215	42,946	43,988	86,934	220,607
20	37,143	1,740	43,034	29,046	72,980	289,591
27	34,623	37,700	72,323	26,972	99,114	238,502
Nov. 3	55,420	34,400	89,820	76,490	166,308	146,275
10	63,500	14,065	77,565	32,590	110,255	109,057
17	40,112	2,000	42,112	79,738	121,850	113,599
24	120,600	31,700	157,760	18,623	176,383	193,540
Dec. 1	37,024	.....	37,024	52,582	89,606	123,510
8	62,770	57,600	121,370	209,297	330,667	144,400
15	30,369	10,000	40,369	101,704	142,073	260,000
22	40,074	.....	40,074	88,277	137,351	289,789
29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,084
Totals.	$3,241,088	$1,326,299	$4,575,142	$1,700,266	$6,276,458	$7,655,035

OIL INDUSTRY ONLY PARTLY LIFTED FROM DEPRESSION

Regulation of Crude Output Must Continue and Control Must Be Exercised Over Refining, Engineer Says.

By JOSEPH E. POGUE,
Consulting Engineer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The year now drawing to a close has been characterized by two outstanding features: First, progress toward improved economic control within the oil industry, which has taken the form of rationalization of crude oil production in the United States and of a trend toward cartelization abroad; and, second, a betterment in the statistical position and price of gasoline, resulting in favorable profits for the manufacturers and distributors of that commodity.

The first development was the outgrowth of necessity and was brought about by planned control on the part of the industry, aided by State and Federal authorities. The second development was primarily the resultant of natural economic forces, though regarded in many quarters as also an outgrowth of control. These two developments should be plainly distinguished if a clear perception of the current status of the petroleum situation is to be gained.

Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight was entered on a low and unprofitable price level, with a potential crude oil supply in sight that, if left to a normal development, would have greatly exceeded the physical ability of the industry to cope with the output. In consequence, it became necessary to stem the impending flood of oil and steps were taken in the menacing flush fields of Texas, Oklahoma and California to retard production by co-operative methods of proration and drilling shutdowns. These efforts were initiated by the operators themselves, but were subsequently stabilized by invoking the authority of the states involved through the jurisdiction of commissions charged with the responsibility of conservation and prevention of waste.

Crude Supply Regulated.

In this manner the rate of output of the prolific pools of the Persian Salt Basin in West Texas was curtailed to a small fraction of the potentiality; the drilling up of several pools in the Seminole district in Oklahoma was staggered and spread out over the year; and some production was shut-in in California. As a result, crude oil production was maintained at about 2,400,000 barrels per day for the first eight months of the year and around 3,500,000 barrels per day since August, thus permitting demand to catch up with supply and bringing about statistical equilibrium.

By and large it was demonstrated that at low prices the crude oil supply could be regulated within certain limits.

Coincident with these efforts to rationalize crude oil production in the United States progress in the direction of improved economic control was witnessed in other directions, particularly in the appearance of a trend toward the centralization of a group of foreign oil companies, the organization of plans for the formation of an American Export Association for the co-operative handling of the petroleum export business and improvement in the domestic trade practices in the distribution of gasoline.

Gasoline Output Curtailed.

Yet, in the main, it was not from the achievements in artificial economic control, as important as they seem, that financial betterment in 1928 has come to the industry, but from an entirely different source—the operation of natural economic law in the field of gasoline manufacture. Under the influence of the very low price that prevailed for gasoline from the early months of 1927 until the spring of 1928 the output of gasoline was curtailed and held at relatively low levels and, what is even more important, work on refinery expansion and cracking installations came almost to a standstill, and accordingly the 1928 gasoline season was entered with gasoline in a strong statistical position.

This condition is indicated by the fact that last March gasoline stocks were 23 per cent lower than 12 months previously and 79 per cent of computed normal, while the annual rate of output at that time was less than the annual requirements by approximately the volume of gasoline in storage. In other words, a physical shortage of gasoline would have developed, if supply and, causally, price, had not advanced; and because of the progress of obsolescence in refinery equipment, the industry did not have the plant to overproduce gasoline for the 1928 season, even on an advancing price level.

In consequence, a remunerative price for gasoline was attained before midyear and this created a profitable second six months for all companies engaged in the manufacture of this product. Some measure of self-regulation was contributory to this development, but primarily the result was the outcome of the operation of conventional economic law. It would not be too much to say that gasoline prices in 1928 would have advanced if no element of artificial control had been brought to bear on the situation.

Need of Regulating Refining.

Now, the striking financial results arising from natural economic conditions, in the presence of an artificially controlled supply of raw material which brought a nominal advance in quotations for crude oil, has naturally given rise to the belief in many quarters that the improvement in earnings, as evidenced by the third quarter company reports is directly traceable to artificial control, or rationalization. Such a belief tends to minimize the magnitude of the problem that rationalization still faces in the petroleum industry, as it also obscures the additional steps that need to be taken if this force is to be directed to a successful final outcome.

This statement is made with the purpose of directing attention to the necessity that regulation be broadened in its scope and likewise extended to the refining branch of the industry, now that refiners are prosperous and are tending by physical expansion and high operating levels, to change the very conditions that in the first place led to a favorable gasoline situation.

On the whole, then, it is perhaps fair to conclude that, so far as [illegible] is concerned, artificial control has had an important result in a negative sense in that it prevented crude oil supply from getting entirely out of hand and hence served to stabilize the crude oil market, but the profits that came to the industry were principally the product of the operation of natural economic law in the field of gasoline, aided but not determined by voluntary restriction.

Pitfalls of 1929.

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A reflection of the large crops of 1928 is seen in the enormous grain shipments handled by the St. Louis Merchants' Exchange, which has announced the breaking of all previous records. Total receipts for the year, with December estimated, were 112,390,000 bushels.

Along with the general improvement in agriculture and business, credit has kept pace and has been ample for all demands; collections are better; there has been an improved demand for money, and commercial failures have been decreasing in comparison with 1927. Although rates have been up, money has not been unduly tight.

All in all, it would seem that the stage is set for a splendid showing for commerce and industry in at least the opening months of the New Year. Basic conditions appear sound, the state of the public mind is favorable and no serious trouble is apparent. But to attempt to look beyond another crop period is unwise.

LOANS OF $14,500,000 MADE BY LAND BANK

Local Institution Has Kept Its Interest Rate at 5 Per Cent.

By H. PAUL BESTOR,
President Federal Land Bank of St. Louis.

During the first 11 months of 1928, the St. Louis Federal Land Bank closed farm loans somewhat in excess of $14,500,000 in Illinois, Missouri and Arkansas. The total of farm loans amounted to $108,795,797, as of Nov. 30.

In the face of an ever-advancing interest the Federal Land Bank has maintained its low rate of 5 per cent to the farmers of the Sixth District, and in this way has protected agriculture from the pinch that has been felt in some other industries on account of mounting interest.

The net earnings of the Federal Land Bank of St. Louis for the first 11 months of 1928 were approximately $80,000 greater than for the some period last year, and while the institution has been obliged to acquire some farms through foreclosure, it is significant that a 100 per cent reserve has been set up for this real estate and not a dollar of it has been carried as an asset.

The capital stock of the Federal Land Bank of St. Louis increased during 1928 until on Oct. 31 it stood at $5,409,780, with reserves, in addition to capital, of $1,420,768.

The Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of St. Louis since its organization in 1923 has handled $21,908,330 in loans, serving 38,061 farmers.

The rediscounts handled by the bank during 1928 were somewhat greater than in 1927. The larger part of this increase consisted of livestock loans, chiefly on feeder and dairy cattle. In recent months the facilities of the bank for financing dairy cattle have been more extensively used, particularly in Illinois and Missouri.

The capital of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank is $5,000,000. $3,000,000 of which is callable from the Government on short notice. Surplus and reserves of the bank as of Nov. 30 amounted to $200,223.

INCREASING TURNOVER BY DEPARTMENT STORES CITED AS HEALTHY SIGN

By F. M. MAYFIELD,
President, Associated Retailers of St. Louis.

THE Federal Reserve Bank keeps accurate statistics on partment store operation in the St. Louis Federal Reserve District. It shows for the year 1928 a small gain, in sales over the previous year. It also shows that the total stocks of merchandise on hand in department stores are lower than last year's. The resulting increase in turn-over indicates a very healthy trend in the distribution of merchandise in this district.

Collection for the year were also good, and indicate an improved credit situation in St. Louis.

For the coming year, the retailers in St. Louis confidently expect normal growth and continued improvement in operations.

ST. LOUIS GAINED 63 INDUSTRIES IN THE LAST YEAR

These, With Expansion of 118 Already in Existence, Increased Industrial Investment by $21,899,000

By GEORGE C. SMITH,
Director Industrial Bureau of Industrial Club of St. Louis.

During the 12 months just ended the reports of the Industrial Bureau of the Industrial Club of St. Louis have announced the establishment in the St. Louis district of 63 new industries and the expansion of 118 of our existing industries. These 181 new industries and expansions represent an increased industrial investment of $21,899,000 for land, buildings and equipment. Combined, they will furnish employment for 5388 additional workers, an increase of about 4 per cent in the total employed in manufacturing in the district. This increase in the number of employes is equivalent to the addition, in a single year, of the total industrial life of a community the size of Peoria, Ill.

As an evidence of the fundamental stability of industry in St. Louis, it is interesting to note that no one class of industry has been outstanding in its expansion. The new industries and those enlarged during the year cover a wide variety of activity, further diversifying an already widely diversified manufacturing center.

The net increase in the occupancy of space already built amounts to 1,268,387 square feet. Three million seven hundred and ninety four thousand two hundred and eighty-four more square feet, therefore, are to be occupied industrially than were used in 1927.

Loaded cars interchanged by the Terminal Railroad Association are the closest approximation we have to carloading statistics for St. Louis. These indicate a 7 per cent increase in volume of business for 1928 over 1927.

Freight handled out of St. Louis during 1928 by the Federal Barge Line on the lower Mississippi River shows an increase of 14 to 15 per cent over 1927.

Bank clearings for 1928 will exceed 1927 by 2½ per cent. Debits to individual accounts will show an increase of 7 per cent.

The consumption of city water in St. Louis has increased 2½ per cent; telephone calls, 5¼ per cent; the consumption of industrial gas is 4¼ per cent greater; the consumption of industrial electricity is 9½ per cent greater; building contracts awarded show a 20 per cent increase. Failures among business concerns decreased from 263 in 1927 to 252 in 1928 (11 months each year), while the liabilities of the failing companies showed a decrease of about $1,000,000, or 12.3 per cent. Real estate transfers in St. Louis and St. Louis County will show an increase of 7 per cent for the year. While the value of building permits has shown no substantial change for the year, 1928 was unaided by permits for important civic improvements or large downtown building projects, such as were started in 1927. These commercial and civic decreases have been offset by increases in permits for factories, warehouses, residences and apartments. During 1928 residential and apartment buildings show an increase of nearly 2000 family accommodations more than were provided during 1927.

Postoffice receipts show a decrease, amounting to about 3 per cent. This decrease can be accounted for by the forced liquidation of certain mail order businesses which were compelled to cease operations during the latter part of 1927, and by a reduction in postal rates made effective last July.

"Not only are the new industries widely diversified, but their locations throughout the district are likewise diversified. Most of those engaged in the manufacture of clothing and men's and women's furnishings are in the downtown district. Twenty-five new industries were established in the downtown section during 1928; 13 in the west central section of the city; seven in the south and southwest section; eight in the west; four in the north and six in the east side, or Illinois portion of the district. Of these six, one located in Madison, one in Granite City, one in East St. Louis, two in Monsanto Village, and one on the Parks Air Field south of Monsanto Village.

As to the future, it is the policy of the Industrial Bureau not to name its prospects in any way which might disclose their identity. We must not violate confidences established and cannot, therefore, in advance of completed negotiations, reveal the plans of any specific companies. However, during the year 1928 a substantial number of contacts with prospective industries have been established and a substantial growth can be predicted for 1929.

2,800,000 Farm Telephones.

At the beginning of 1928 there were approximately 2,800,000 telephones on farms in the United States, which means that about 44 farms out of every 100 are equipped with telephone service.

GENERAL CATTLE SHORTAGE OVER COUNTRY REFLECTED AT NATIONAL STOCKYARDS

By E. F. BISBEE,
Vice President St. Louis National Stockyards.

THE St. Louis livestock market at the St. Louis National Stockyards reflected the shortage of cattle now prevailing countrywide by a shortage in receipts that will approximate 10 per cent in this item. This, however, is also the experience of other livestock markets. Prospects for the coming year indicate a continued shortage.

Hogs, the mortgage lifters, will show an increase of approximately 10 per cent for the year. Lack of corn crop locally in 1927 resulted in smaller supplies during the summer months, but with better feed conditions we anticipate a growing supply of hogs on this market the coming year. Sheep, also horses and mules, are not up to a year ago.

Aside from the high prices for cattle and the two outstanding Calf Club sales for the benefit of farmer children in the St. Louis territory, the most graphic thing noticed was the greatly increased volume of livestock arriving at market by means of the truck and the apparent indifference of the carriers by rail to this diversion of traffic and the revenues therefrom.

ST. LOUIS SHOE TRADE $200,000,000 A YEAR

More Than 78,000,000 Pair Manufactured by Various Local Concerns in 1928.

By JOHN A. BUSH,
President, Brown Shoe Co.

St. Louis did a business in shoes during 1928 of $200,000,000. More than 78,000,000 pairs of shoes were made and sold by the various concerns. Seventeen hundred traveling salesmen employed to sell these shoes.

Shoes are the lowest priced article of apparel used by the human family. Compare for example the cost of a hat or necktie with that of a pair of shoes.

There are more than 160 distinct operations in the manufacture of a pair of shoes, or in other words, a shoe passed through 160 hands. There are more than 100 items of material, including leather, findings, stays, nails and eyelets. You can appreciate how much scientific management and volume production play a part in giving to the American public shoes at such a low price.

More than 50,000 people are employed in the St. Louis shoe industry, and, as near as can be figured, more than $60,000,000 of invested capital.

In the entire United States production of shoes for the year 1928 will approximate about the same number of pairs as in 1927. More pairs were made the first eight months of the year, but the last four months brought down the figure to no greater number of pairs than a year ago. Hence 1929 is ushered in with no burdensome stocks, and prices have been brought down to the lowest hide market of several years. There is every indication of a good business during 1929.

HIGHER MONEY A FACTOR

Louis F. Swift Sees It as a Possible Deterrent During 1929.

By LOUIS F. SWIFT,
President Swift & Co.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—It looks to me as though business will average as well in 1929 as in 1928.

I think inventories are low enough, consumers' purchasing power great enough and important industries are active enough to ingood business in the months to come.

If it were not for the stock market and the outlook for higher priced money the most important factors would all be favorable. All things considered, however, I think 1929 is due to show up about as well as 1928.

GENERAL BUSINESS REPORTED GOOD IN ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

Federal Reserve Bank Survey Shows New Production Records in Some Lines of Industry.

General business in the St. Louis Federal Reserve District through 1928 was good as was the case in most other sections of the country, according to reports of the Federal Reserve board.

Manufactured goods were produced on a large scale, several of the more important lines establishing new records for all time. Distribution also was of proportionate size with production, as evidenced by the almost universally moderate-sized inventories at the end of the period, railroad car loadings, sales statistics of both retailers and wholesalers, and the other measures of business activity. Building contracts let in the St. Louis Reserve Bank district were larger than in any preceding year, and carry over work on highways and other construction operations absorbed numerous common and skilled laborers.

Savings Accounts Increase.

Debits to bank balances in the district during each month of 1928 exceeded in size those of the corresponding period in 1927, and indications point to the largest total ever recorded. That full resources were not being expended, however, and that provision for the future was being made was shown by the gain in volume of savings accounts, accretions to life insurance writings, increases in resources of building and loan societies and similar agencies for saving.

The early part of 1928 in this district was featured by abundant and cheap money. Heavy demand for credit during the spring, however, resulted in a decline in deposits of the commercial banks, and an advance in money rates set in which continued rather steadily until the late autumn. This exerted a restraining influence on the growth of bank credit, but withal, there were sufficient funds available throughout the year to easily take care of all legitimate business requirements, including the heavy call for financing production and movement of the district's crops. As in the preceding year the general efficiency of collections was high, which fact coupled with the policy of close buying of merchandise and small inventories, enabled business interests to carry on with less recourse to the banks than volume of trade would seem to make necessary.

Owing to heavy requirements for commerce, agriculture, manufacturing and transactions in bonds, stocks and other securities, loans of the reporting member banks were maintained at high levels throughout the year, though the average fell somewhat below that of the preceding 12 months, due to a recession during the final three months. The peak for 1928 was $523,267,000, which compares with a high of $514,000,000 in 1927; $535,000,000 in 1926, and $519,000,000 in 1925. Deposits of these banks were considerably smaller in 1928 than during the preceding year, with a markedly different month-to-month trend. During 1928 there was an irregular downward trend beginning in January and continuing until early autumn, while in 1927 the low point was in January and was followed by an irregular upward movement through the balance of the year. Save for the usual sharp advance at the end of May, the investments of the reporting member banks showed no broad variation during the year.

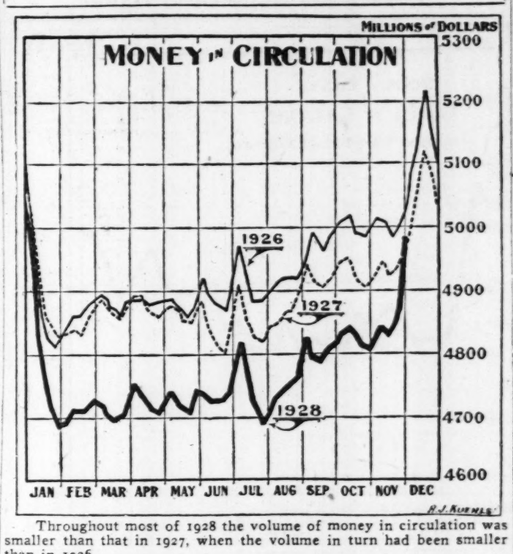
$72,537,000 in Bills Discounted.

The year was marked by increased activity in various departments of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, with the volume of transactions in some instances exceeding that of recent years. The average borrowings from this bank by its member banks during 1928 were considerably higher than in the preceding year. The maximum of bills discounted in 1928, $72,537,000, was reached on Aug. 31, which compares with $40,697,000 the high point in 1927, reached on July 1, and $54,052,000 the high point in 1926, reached on Sept. 21. The minimum in 1928 was $10,862,000, recorded on Jan. 10, while in 1927 the low point of $10,572,000 was touched on March 8.

The discount rate of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, which had remained uniformly at 4 per cent during 1926, was on Aug. 4, 1927, reduced to 3½ per cent and continued at that figure until Feb. 21, 1928, when it was advanced to 4 per cent. On April 23, the rate was raised to 4½ per cent, and on July 25 to 5 per cent, and held at the latter figure until the end of the year.

Federal Reserve Bank's reserve position during the year was subject to the usual fluctuations resulting in changes in demand for credit, open market transactions, note circulation, etc. The ratio of total reserves to deposit and Federal Reserve note liabilities combined, ranged between 68.0 per cent and 46.6 per cent. The high point was on July 19 and the low level on Aug. 22. In 1927 the range was from 42.9 per cent to 72.3 per cent, with the high on March 9 and the low on June 2.

Less Money in Circulation



Throughout most of 1928 the volume of money in circulation was smaller than that in 1927, when the volume in turn had been smaller than in 1926.

This perceptible contraction in the volume of outstanding currency presents a powerful force for ease in the money market that has not been fully appreciated.

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ST. LOUIS INCREASINGLY GOOD INVESTMENT MARKET; MANY ISSUES UNDERWRITTEN HERE

Business Taken From New York and Chicago —Field Less Speculative Than Elsewhere With Little Fluctuation.

By OLIVER J. ANDERSON,
Chairman, Mississippi Valley Group Investment Bankers' Association.

As an investment market, St. Louis is becoming an increasingly important factor, not only in its own territory, but throughout the United States. During the past year, numerous underwritings, which formerly would have gone to New York or Chicago, have had their origin through local dealers. Among the issues underwritten have been many of nationally-known corporations, as well as issues of the real estate and institutional type.

One of the striking facts in connection with the investment business has been the lessened number of municipal offerings. On account of the extremely low yield on municipal bonds, this business has largely been replaced, as far as all except the very wealthy are concerned, by real estate and corporation issues.

The intense interest shown in the stock market during recent months has naturally diverted some funds which would ordinarily go into conservative investments rather than into more speculative channels. The post-election market for approximately 30 days constituted a period of unbridled speculation, which has hardly been equaled in financial history, but culminated in the drastic reaction of early December. This "technical reaction" has had a chastening influence on many speculators as an example of the suddenness and severity by which an unhealthy condition can be corrected.

Even in the face of the speculative attractions elsewhere, the bond business has continued on an even keel, only slightly disturbed by the unusual competition for funds which it has experienced. The conservative person does not care to risk any large part of his capital in an orgy of speculation, but has preferred to accept a moderate annual income return with adequate protection of principal. Bond offerings have been well taken care of during the year, with only a moderate lull during the late summer and early fall. The latter part of the year ushered in a period of considerable activity.

The outlook for the investment business, both locally and nationally, I believe to be extremely favorable. The firm undertone that has existed in spite of high call money rates has been striking. Lower call money would probably release substantial sums, especially the sizeable nonbanking funds now on call, for investment in the bond market. Additional strength should come from a change of sentiment, which would result in the diverting of funds from a speculative purpose to conservative investment.

The St. Louis Stock Exchange, like the New York Stock Exchange, has had its record days. Many new listings have broadened the scope of the business and made the local mart an ever increasing factor in the investment situation in St. Louis. The outstanding feature noticeable about the St. Louis Stock Exchange is that it is largely a strictly investment market. With few exceptions, the securities listed do not fluctuate as widely as in a highly speculative market.

RECORD NUMBER OF CARS THROUGH ST. LOUIS GATEWAY

Terminal Railroad Association Reports an Interchange of 2,700,000 Cars in 1928.

By HENRY MILLER,
President, Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis.

The operations of the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis, throughout the year 1928, have been the most successful in its history. The traffic originating from or destined to industries served by this company, as well as that passing through this gateway for movement beyond in both directions, has been increasing steadily for the past several years, and the year just ended will show an interchange of 2,700,000 cars, which exceeds the peak year of 1926 by 50,000 cars or 2 per cent, and the year 1927 by 166,000 cars or 7 per cent. As compared with the year 1921, the first full year following Federal control, the traffic has increased 904,574 cars, or 51 per cent.

No less important than the increase in traffic is the speed and expedition with which this large volume of business was handled. Carefully planned budgets during the last few years have largely increased our track capacity in vital places; larger power has been acquired, and the property today is in excellent physical condition and capable of handling, with only ordinary improvements, a very large increase in the volume of traffic over that handled during the year 1928. No congestion occurred at any time, and Terminal detention can no longer be used to influence the routing of business against the St. Louis gateway.

Passenger Business Decreases.

The steadily increased traffic during the last few years and the economy with which it has been handled, warranted, during the early part of last year, an adjustment downward in our rates, in order to carry out our policy of handling the traffic through this gateway as cheaply as possible and rendering our service at cost.

Passenger business through this gateway during the year 1928 shows a decrease as compared with the previous year, and is still feeling the influence of the private automobile and bus line competition. Notwithstanding this condition, expenditures amounting to $4,000,000 have been authorized for the further improvement of passenger facilities, involving a westward extension of the Union Station with 10 additional landing tracks; the removal of the present express buildings and their relocation in the new express terminal at Eighteenth street and Clark avenue. All of this work is now under way but will not be fully completed until some time during the the coming year.

A new addition to the Ranken yard was constructed during the past year at a cost of $275,000, which materially increased the track capacity in that yard. This new addition was constructed to accommodate the passenger equipment formerly stored in the Seventeenth street yard, which was abandoned to provide space for the erection of the new express facilities. In addition to the increased track capacity, this new yard has a service building, repair tracks, drop pit, steam, air, water and all the necessary facilities for taking care of passenger equipment. An unusual features in the track layout of this new coach yard is the fact that the stub tracks are connected at the far end by crossovers, leaving tail tracks of sufficient length to hold an engine and tender. With this arrangement the engine can pull its train directly into the yard, and can be switched to another track to pass out or to push another train into Union Station, which results in a material saving of time.

SOUND INVESTMENT BONDS

	Maturity	Rate	Yield
Oslo Gas & Electric Works	1963	5%	*5.30%
First Christian Church, Pine Bluff, Ark.	1929-43	5½	5.50
Landis Machine Co.	1936	5½	5.50
Tiger (Hotel), Inc.	1930-43	6	6.00
Memphis Natural Gas	1943	6	6.00
Commonwealth Utilities Co.	1938	6	6.12
National Trade Journals, Inc.	1938		6.30
Ilseder Steel Corp.	1943	6	6.74

*Approximate Yield — Price at Market

New Year Investments

Changing customs, improved processes and varying market conditions, the result of social and economic development, are factors which effect all industries and make it essential to surround the investment of funds with the safeguards of experience. The end of the year, with its long list of maturities is an excellent time to review and analyze one's investment holdings.

Our Investor's Service Department will be glad to assist, without obligation, in such an analysis. Send for our list of Called Bonds.

SOUND INVESTMENT STOCKS

Moloney Electric Co. Class "A" Common	Mkt.
W. B. Coon Co., Common	41.50
W. B. Coon Co., Convertible 7% Preferred	101.50
Pickrel Walnut Co., Capital Stock	Mkt.
Pacific Western Oil Co., Common Stock	Mkt.
Woodruff & Edwards, Inc., Class "A"	Mkt.
U. S. Electric Light & Power Shares, Inc.	Mkt.
Selected Industries, Inc. $5.50 Prior with bonus and warrant	Mkt.

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MORE THAN MILLION SHARES SOLD ON LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW RECORD AND DOUBLE SALES OF PREVIOUS YEAR

Single Session Sales Record and That for Week Also Established During the Last Year.

The St. Louis Stock Exchange set several records during 1928, the outstanding one being a business in excess of 1,000,000 shares. Sales were more than double the aggregate of preceding year. While the market continued mainly on investment affair there were periods when speculation was evident.

Two rises or booms, one in the spring and the other in fall marked the year. It was during the latter one that sales for a single session broke all records with total of 17,992 shares. Aggregate sales for the week that included the above mentioned day were also of record volume at 53,855 shares.

In December a seat on the exchange sold for $8500, approximately double the selling price a year ago.

While the big business was being done in stocks, the bond section was hot keeping up even to the pace of previous year. Transactions in United Railways 4s contributed materially to the total, the traction bonds selling to extent of more than $1,000,000.

Wagner Electric, International Shoe and Coca-Cola Bottling Securities among the industrials and National Bank of Commerce in the banking group were prominent. Wagner Electric ran up sharply early in the year, dropped back abruptly and then climbed to level higher than point reached on first upturn. From a low of 37, the stock rose to around 160 late in year. International Shoe ranged between 82 and 87. The bottling issue rose to 62¾ from 21. The "new" stock was traded in later. Bank of Commerce during a May boom reached 236, the low of year being 137. Near close of year it was selling around 170. St. Louis Public Service sold between 20 and 23¾, being around the low figure late in the year. The preferred ranged between 78½ and 87.

Among other more active issues of the year were Scullin Steel preference, Rice-Stix, Missouri Portland, National Candy, Polar Wave, Scruggs, Consolidated Lead, Coca Cola Bottling Securities, Ely-Walker, Johnson, Stephens, Shinkle, Sheffield Steel, Skouras and Stix, Baer & Fuller.

Securities of the following corporations were listed during 1928: City and Public Service Co., bonds. St. Louis Public Service, common and preferred stocks; Champion Shoe Machinery preferred, Landis Machine, Franklin-American Trust, Koplar, preference; Sedalia Water, preferred; Mahoney-Ryan Aircraft, Pickrel Walnut, Moloney Electric, Houston Oil, bonds; St. Louis Screw & Bolt, Bentley Chain Store, Marathon Shoe, Meyer-Blanke and St. Louis Screw & Bolt.

EXPECTS FEWER AND STRONGER AUTO PRODUCERS IN 1929

C. W. Nash Predicts Higher Levels of Prosperity in United States.

By C. W. NASH,
President the Nash Motors Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Steady hands on the industrial and financial reins of the country should bring even higher levels of prosperity for the United States in 1929.

In my opinion, there is nothing in the general economic conditions of today nor the outlook for tomorrow that should make us expect a slowing down in the inspiring industrial march that has made this nation so fundamental a leader in the world's work, its progress and happiness, unless it is the shadow of overconfidence and the widespread market speculation which have marked the closing months of 1928. These conditions—the natural results of national success—are controllable and, with proper regulation, should not affect the sound, substantial foundation on which our prosperity is based.

Concerning the automobile industry, I feel that its outlook is excellent for a prosperous year and one in which it will serve its vast public to even better advantage than it has in the past.

There may be fewer companies in the field when the year 1929 ends, but those companies will prosper by virtue of the actual service they render.

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New Records in Mahoning Valley.

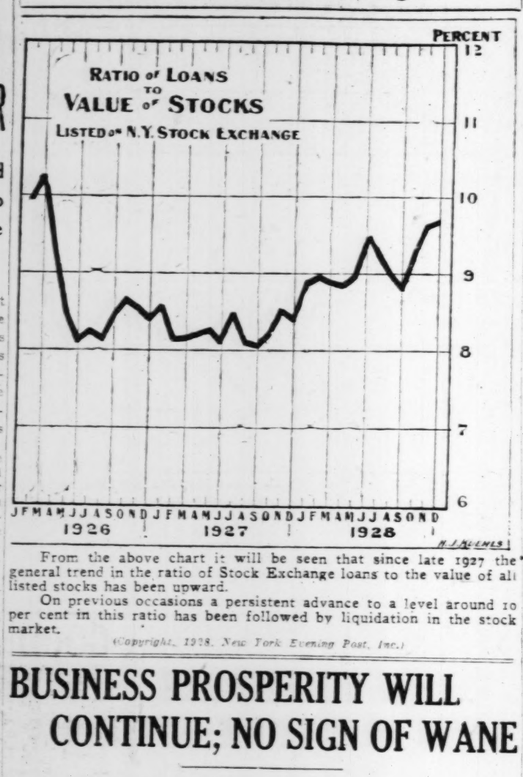
By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A new record for iron and steel production in the Mahoning Valley, including steel ingots and output of rolling mills, was established in 1928, President Elmer T. McCleary of Republic Iron and Steel Co. of Youngstown foresees active operations for 1929 and predicts record automobile production.

Paris Hires Water-Tasters.

Paris has engaged professional water tasters to test the potable supply every hour, night and day. The authorities are having a difficult time to find men to meet the requirements. A water taster must be a total abstainer in so far as alcohol, coffee and tea are concerned and he must be a nonsmoker.

Stock Loan Ratio Rises Again



From the above chart it will be seen that since late 1927 the general trend in the ratio of Stock Exchange loans to the value of all listed stocks has been upward.

On previous occasions a persistent advance to a level around 10 per cent in this ratio has been followed by liquidation in the stock market.

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BUSINESS PROSPERITY WILL CONTINUE; NO SIGN OF WANE

Every Promise of Another Good Year, Thanks to Sound Conservation in Avoiding Accumulation of Goods and Price Inflation.

By WALTER W. SMITH,
President, First National Bank.

Business, as a whole, has been enjoying a generally prosperous condition for the past few years and as yet there is no definite evidence that this cycle is approaching a close.

One of the mainstays of our recent prosperity has been the sound and conservative policies followed by American business. Excessive inventory accumulation and commodity price inflation has been avoided, notwithstanding the unusually heavy demand for goods of all character. In recent years the movement of goods from producer to consumer has been flowing with unusual smoothness. The great improvement in our means of transportation and communication have made this possible and there is every indication that a satisfactory balance will be maintained between the supply of and the demand for merchandise. Under these circumstances there is every promise for continued industrial stability.

On the purely financial, or credit, side there has undoubtedly been an undesirable expansion of credit for use in connection with security speculation. This situation, however, should gradually correct itself. While money rates have shown a substantial increase in the past year, the major burden has fallen upon security loans and the advance in commercial rates has been upon a much more moderate scale. Thus far, there is nothing to indicate that higher rates have had any depressing effect upon business.

In view of the steady expansion of business in the last few years, it is scarcely to be expected that new records in production and profits will be made each year. However, there are as yet no definite signs of any major change in the underlying trend of business.

The position of agriculture is becoming more and more satisfactory, and the money income of the farmer again shows an increase. Fundamentals are generally sound and conditions the world over are showing a steady improvement. In view of these facts the outlook for 1929 is distinctly encouraging.

BROKERS' LOANS UP 1 1-2 BILLION IN '28

$1,971,291,723 Gain Shown by New York Stock Exchange During the Year.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Brokers' loans, which played such an important part in stock market operations during the year, expanded more than $1,500,000,000, as indicated by the Federal Reserve and Stock Exchange figures. Street loans advanced $1,971,291,723 from January to December, while Federal Reserve loans increased $1,584,567,000 from January 4 to the Dec. 5 peak.

The figures were:

Federal Reserve Figures.

	Total	Change.
Dec. 27	$5,091,427,000	—$ 19,350,000
Dec. 19	5,110,822,000	— 64,929,000
Dec. 12	5,175,751,000	— 64,929,000
Dec. 5	5,304,360,000	— 104,690,000
Nov. 28	5,289,960,000	— 132,168,000
Nov. 21	5,157,132,000	— 276,744,000
Nov. 14	4,980,817,000	— 1,849,000
Nov. 7	4,978,968,000	— 71,804,000
Oct. 31	5,050,754,000	— 124,871,000
Oct. 24	4,772,293,000	— 107,903,000
Oct. 17	4,664,390,000	— 74,507,000
Oct. 10	4,589,883,000	— 19,905,000
Oct. 3	4,569,978,000	— 45,270,000
Sept. 26	4,524,708,000	— 34,275,000
Sept. 19	4,490,433,000	— 80,585,000
Sept. 12	4,485,141,000	— 95,892,000
Sept. 5	4,389,249,000	— 34,080,000
Aug. 29	4,235,148,000	— 44,017,000
Aug. 22	4,201,131,000	— 32,499,000
Aug. 15	4,233,630,000	— 30,554,000
Aug. 8	4,273,884,000	— 11,827,000
Aug. 1	4,258,386,000	— 75,477,000
July 25	4,182,219,000	— 19,490,000
July 18	4,194,511,000	— 48,248,000
July 11	4,242,849,000	— 64,377,000
July 3	4,307,070,000	— 14,812,000
June 27	4,159,264,000	— 110,328,000
June 20	4,269,580,000	— 138,104,000
June 13	4,427,691,000	— 15,540,000
June 6	4,563,240,000	— 93,774,000
May 30	4,469,466,000	— 13,375,000
May 23	4,456,091,000	— 45,856,000
May 16	4,502,044,000	— 140,936,000
May 9	4,361,108,000	— 79,451,000
May 2	4,281,657,000	— 147,731,000
Apr. 25	4,144,388,000	— 15,385,000
Apr. 18	4,129,001,000	— 134,531,000
Apr. 11	3,994,470,000	— 15,161,000
Apr. 4	3,979,308,000	— 153,979,000
Mar. 28	3,825,329,000	— 40,665,000
Mar. 21	3,778,664,000	— 16,856,000
Mar. 14	3,746,064,000	— 50,335,000
Mar. 7	3,696,749,000	— 28,125,000
Feb. 29	3,721,834,000	— 6,847,000
Feb. 21	3,728,316,000	— 91,069,000
Feb. 14	3,819,385,000	— 15,935,000
Feb. 8	3,835,020,000	— 15,930,000
Feb. 1	3,815,850,000	— 21,125,000
Jan. 25	3,787,085,000	— 9,440,000
Jan. 18	3,787,974,000	— 21,649,000
Jan. 11	3,819,573,000	— 9,550,000
Jan. 4	3,810,023,000	— 90,403,000

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE LOANS
(000 omitted.)
1928

	Demand	Time	Total
Nov. 30	$3,614,388	$ 277,256	$3,891,644
Oct. 31	3,115,775	762,862	3,878,637
Sept. 30	4,080,551	804,087	5,343,639
Aug. 31	4,093,889	957,548	5,051,437
July 31	3,767,994	1,009,852	4,877,847
June 30	3,741,622	1,156,718	4,898,351
May 31	4,050,259	1,293,687	5,274,046
Apr. 30	3,758,507	1,188,845	4,947,352
Mar. 31	3,580,425	1,059,749	4,640,174
Feb. 29	3,294,278	1,028,299	4,322,578
Jan. 31	3,399,873	1,070,469	4,470,342

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COFFEE TRADING GAINS 50 PER CENT

Exchange Official Says "D" Contract Has Increased Market's Usefulness.

By BENJAMIN B. PEABODY,
Vice President New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The New York Coffee Exchange was organized in 1881 in response to the urgent need for an established market where coffee for future delivery, as well as spot stocks, might be readily bought or sold.

When trading first began on the New York Coffee Exchange, the largest and most important coffee crop was Rio, and the popular standard for trading in the open market No. 7, consequently when the future contract was drafted, No. 7 was adopted as the basis for all trades.

Makes New Market.

Great changes since have taken place in the coffee world. For some years soft drinking coffees have been the popular kinds, and the Santos and "mild" crops, which furnish these coffees, have increased until they yield about 75 per cent of the world's consumption, the latter being now 150 per cent larger than the quantity produced at the time the "A" contract first made its appearance.

To meet the changed conditions, the Exchange adopted and admitted to trading on Jan. 16, 1928, a separate contract known as the "D" or Santos contract. After a year's trial it seems generally admitted that a great improvement had been accomplished.

The new contract has not alone made an additional market for soft Santos coffees, but for the operator in "mild" grades it has opened up a market in which he can hedge his stocks.

Admits Sugar.

It is most gratifying in view of a coffee year such as 1928, that the volume on the exchange will be nearly 50 per cent more than last year, as indicated by figures for the first 11 months; and, with the new contract now firmly established, it would not be surprising to see a further increase in volume during the coming year.

Prices for contract "A" ranged from 19.20 cents in January for December delivery to 16.46 cents for the same month in October.

The range of prices for contract "D" was 18 cents for December, in January and 22.20 cents for July, in July.

Prices of coffee as a whole ruled higher than in 1927, in spite of the fact that the production of the world for the crop of 1927-1928 exceeded the previous one by about 3,000,000 bags.

The world consumption, as indicated by deliveries from 21,232,000 bags for the crop year, 1924-1927, to 23,536,000 bags for 1927-1928.

The activities of the exchange were enlarged by the admission to trading, on Dec. 16, 1914, of raw sugar futures and the name was therefore changed to its present form, New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange, Inc.

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SAYS U. S. FUTURE IS BRIGHT, WARNS AGAINST PLUNGING

Rollin A. Wilbur of Herrick Co., Cleveland, Finds Commerce Stable and Executives Capable.

By ROLLIN A. WILBUR,
President Investment Bankers' Association of America and Vice-President Herrick Co., Cleveland.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Whether corporation profits will be maintained or increased in 1929 is a question too conjectural to make the task of prophecy easy. Certain it is that all the necessary forces and material assets are at hand to uphold and extend prosperity further. It all depends on balance; on how we equalize the forces that would hurry healthy growth into inflation or retard it by deflation.

There are two sides to the heavy responsibility of occupying the fortunate position of creditor nation of the world. One of these was universally pointed out to investment bankers by Mr. Average Man when foreign Governments, stabilizing their currencies and balancing their budgets (and their industries, subsequently), began coming to the United States for needed credit. It was a very simple but solidly wise fundamental that we share our capital supply with only those foreign undertakings that were for soundly constructive and productive purposes. May not Mr. Average Man wisely apply his commendable foreign policy to his domestic commitments today? The same principle covers both alike.

High Wage Scale Maintained.

There are so many ably managed and prosperous enterprises in this country that there is every opportunity for sound employment of capital and credit. The experienced are utilizing this opportunity much to the enhancement of our financial solidity and to the maintenance of a high wage scale with its widely-spread buying power.

This situation has brought to many persons of modest means a surplus that, as a whole, can be and should be a tremendous aid in attaining the modern goal of business, to make prosperity permanent. This good, however, is not so likely to be attained and maintained if the principle of "capital for constructive and productive purposes" is not generally followed.

Today almost any banker, broker or bond man can name a dozen or more persons of modest incomes who have their first nest egg of a few hundred to a few thousand dollars, and who announce a feverish eagerness to hazard it all and to anticipate possible loss with stoical indifference. This is not the spirit of achievement and progress, but of fatalistic gambling.

Some Risks Necessary.

There must be venture capital, it is true. As an investment banker, primarily interested in the conservative employment of investment funds, I would hold as intolerable a condition where the whole of this country was committed to 5 per cent and safety. Risks must be taken or we cannot build up great, new industries and a higher standard of living. But risks must be based on common sense and sound speculative enterprise.

Some are fitted to assume these risks and bring them to fruition. Many are not, and it is these who should ask to what constructive and productive purposes they are employing their savings, for it is between the balance of sound use of venture capital and of investment capital that future prosperity lies.

There is so much of business stability in the United States today and so much of inherent ability among its people that to me the new year seems bright with opportunity. My only fear is that too many owners of the new nest eggs of prosperity may seek to build Rome in a day. It is literally practical for thousands to "get rich sure" in the United States, but only a few can get rich quick, and those chiefly by accident or rare genius in accumulating money.

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Copper Stocks!

What outlook for these Copper Stocks?

Are they a purchase now?

Significant developments are taking place in the copper industry. Between 1913 and 1916, copper consumption in U. S. increased 126%. Europe was actually consuming less copper than thirteen years before, but exports now are rising rapidly. One of the broadest basic changes in any industry is here taking place in copper.

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Kennecott?	*Kay Copper?*
Chile?	*Seneca?*
Magma?	*Calumet & Hecla?*
Mother Lode?	*Tennessee Copper?*
Granby?	*Calumet & Arizona?*

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Weisenburger Says City's Outlook Is Improving

By W. B. WEISENBURGER,
President, St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

WHEN the infant 1929 assumes the mangerial reins on Jan. 1, he will find a much healthier St. Louis than the one his aging predecessor, 1928, found; for the city generally is today in as good condition commercially as it has been in many a year.

Industry and commerce are more than usually sound, and with the improvement in the Mississippi Valley, increased building operations, improvement in the agricultural situation, adjustment of the coal industry in our immediate territory, as well as the satisfactory regard with which most businesses are looking to the future, portends well for the next twelvemonth.

From a civic viewpoint, St. Louis stands on a most promising threshold, with a new horizon of expansion that challenges the interest of every St. Louisan in his home city's progress.

St. Louis' claim to aeronautical supremacy was further strengthened during the past year by the passage of the $2,000,000 municipal airport bond issue, the acquisition of several new airplane factories and the opening of new air routes.

St. Louis has tackled the problem of transportation in a vigorous way in the new Transportation Commission. Smoke, our major ailment, has yielded some ground; the new year may see it tackled fundamentally as transportation is being treated.

Old Father St. Louis, suffering from growing pains of these many years, seems in a fair way to throw off the antiquated political boundaries of 1875 and express its true importance as a leading American city.

The industrial progress of the city has been unquestionable, accelerated by the activities of the Industrial Club.

No one can catch the glimpses of St. Louis' new sky line, widened Olive street, the new Civil Courts Building, the new police building, the brilliancy of St. Louis' downtown lights, without a realization that a new day has been born of the Spirit of St. Louis and that 1229 will see its best and truest expression in civic progress.

SEES NEW FINANCING IF MONEY RATES EASE

Says Conditions Point to Continuation of Activity in 1929.

By J. SHEPPARD SMITH,
President, Mississippi Valley Trust Company.

In most lines of business the year 1928 will go on record as satisfactory at least, and in some cases, very prosperous. Conditions point to a continuation of business activity during the year 1929. Abundant crops in most parts of the country have increased the buying power of American farmers and this, together with a general improvement of employment conditions, should reflect upon our national prosperity. In most lines the holiday trade has been very good. The railroads have shown an increase in car loadings and most of the leading corporations of the country will show satisfactory statements for the year just closing.

The recent setback in the stock market was generally anticipated and its occurrence should have a salutary effect upon business. If there should be an easing of money rates sometime within the next few months, it will be of great help to commercial borrowers and will doubtless bring out much new financing that has been curtailed due to the condition of the bond market.

The growth of investment trusts during the last year or so doubtless will have a very stabilizing effect upon both the bond and stock markets. Such trusts when properly managed are very beneficial to the smaller investor as they diversify the security behind his investment.

With the election over and the new administration committed more or less to the policies of President Coolidge, there is little uncertainty about the attitude of the Government toward business. This fact alone stimulates confidence, which is a psychological factor essential to a period of prosperity.

Canadians Finance at Home.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Canada has once again assumed the leadership in the purchase of her own bonds, though only by a small margin, according to the weekly summary of A. E. Ames & Co. Canadian purchases amount to $188,183,287; American to $187,861,003 and British to $19,125,333, making a grand total of $385,977,620. Government issues amounted to $89,226,333; municipal to $25,715,897; corporation to $256,640,000, and railway to $14,396,000.

100 BILLION DOLLAR 'LIFE' INSURANCE MARK IN 1929 ESTIMATE OF ECONOMIST

By W. A. BERRIDGE, Ph. D.,
Economist, Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

SOME time during 1929 the life insurance business should pass the epochal figure of one hundred billion dollars of life insurance in force.

The year 1928 has witnessed a phenomenal record in the placement of life insurance in its several forms. When the figures are all in hand, it is not unlikely that the total new business issued will approximate fifteen billion dollars. The member companies of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents, which constitutes about 82 per cent of the business in the United States, are estimated to have placed about twelve billions, divided among the three leading types as follows: Industrial, $2,700,000,000; ordinary, $8,000,000,000; group, $1,400,000,000—all of which figures are, however, subject to revision.

This excellent showing is due to two factors, one of which is the favorable position of 1928 in the tide of business conditions, after the weakening of business cycle conditions during 1927. In its response to the ebb and flow of fundamental economic conditions, the volume of life insurance marketed shows a strong family resemblance to that of other consumers' goods and services.

Tunnel From Yonkers to Brooklyn.

The longest and largest water tunnel in the world is to be bored to carry water from Yonkers to Brooklyn. It will be a 20-mile link in the chain of reservoirs and conduits reaching to the Catskills.

SAYS OVER-PRODUCTION IS FARMER'S ENEMY

Head of Chicago Board Thinks With That Regulated He Will Prosper.

By SAMUEL P. ARNOT
President Chicago Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Surveys of agricultural America provide evidence that farm prosperity has been greatly enhanced.

The live stock farmer is better off than he has been at any time since 1920. The cotton grower is prospering. Grain prices are good in the light of the bumper crops. The year just closing saw large production in almost every crop. The world in general is prosperous enough for us to anticipate profitable outlet for practically all food products. The Secretary of Agriculture predicts that the gross income of American agriculture for the crop year 1928-29 will be about the same as that of the preceding year.

There always will be some farm bankruptcies, just as there always will be industrial bankruptcies, and one of the best indications that farming is better off than in some time is the fact that agricultural failures have been materially reduced in the past year.

Farming is more business-like. That is a hopeful sign. Farmers everywhere are awakening to the necessity of better production methods. They are using improved equipment to cut labor costs. They are making more careful study of their returns through correct accounting methods, to the end that they may find and plug up farm leaks. There is a growing conviction that crop diversification is necessary and that the one-crop gamble is basically unsound and must sooner or later be abandoned if periodic distress is to be avoided.

Equality for agriculture should be reached without resort to legislation. Political agitation, designed to commit Congress to economic fallacies, seems to have about run its course. General interest in the farmer is stronger than ever. If the recent political campaign had accomplished nothing else it nevertheless would have demonstrated that the American farmer is feeling better, and that he is able to work out his own salvation, without the help of artificial methods, but with the aid of a freshened general interest in him, and a genuine desire to see him prosper in a measure commensurate with all other lines of endeavor.

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The coming of July increased gold exports to $500,000,000, aroused additional fear for the credit situation and sent money rates to higher levels. Banks were overloaned and inclined to sell rather than buy bonds. Prices improved only temporarily on reinvestment of July dividend and interest payments. New domestic financing declined, but foreign issues advanced to a point where the total for the half touched the $1,000,000,000 mark. The treasury made another offering of 3% certificates for cash or in exchange for Third Liberty 4¼s, which was fairly well received.

Quiet in August.

August found the market quiet because of high money rates and the usual mid-summer apathy, but prices were relatively stable. The total of new offerings was the smallest of any month in five years. September brought some improvement through institutional buying. The treasury offered a new issue of nine-month 4¼ per cent certificates, which was over-subscribed, virtually completing refunding of the Third Liberty Loan 4¼s, which matured Sept. 15.

Continued institutional buying and easier money produced a price improvement in October. New financing increased in volume. The treasury offered about $300,000,000 in 4¾ per cent certificates as the final step in clearing up the Third Liberty Loan. Bonds with warrants or stock conversion privileges increased in activity and price, reflecting the strength of their related stocks, while growth of Italian industry and trade resulted in a demand for Italian industrials.

Easing money rates produced slightly increased activity and an upward price trend in November, but bonds were neglected for the booming stock market. Convertible issues dominated trading. New financing was unusually heavy, among the larger offerings being $50,000,000 Pennsylvania company 4½s and $55,000,000 City of New York bonds.

Convertibles were the center of activity again in December, but the general price trend was downward. Time money rates rose to the highest levels of the year. A treasury offering of $500,000,000 4¼ per cent certificates for December, January and February financing was over-subscribed.

CANADA HAS BEST YEAR IN ITS ECONOMIC HISTORY

Canadian Pacific Car Loadings Increase 10 Per Cent, Net Earnings 31.03 Per Cent.

By E. W. BEATTY,
Chairman and President Canadian Pacific Railways.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—During 1928 Canada has enjoyed what probably is the best year in its economic history. Car loadings at 31,191,212 show a 10 per cent increase over 1927. The Western grain group at about half a billion bushels broke all previous records and, being the fourth successive big crop, has apparently established the country's economic structure on a firm base with an excellent surety of continued progress in national development.

Railway earnings have accordingly expanded. Canadian Pacific figures for 10 months to the end of October are: Gross, $183,588,531; increase $23,203,782, or 14.46 per cent, net $41,231,568, increase $9,764,957, or 31.03 per cent. The 10 months operating ratio was 77.54, as against 80.38 for the same period of 1927.

During the present crop year to the end of November this railway moved 200,000,000 bushels of grain, as compared with 135,000,000 for the same period last year.

Perhaps the outstanding feature of the Canadian Pacific year has been the acquisition by purchase from the Alberta Government of about 800 miles of railway extending north and west from Edmonton into the Peace River country where, due to almost ideal conditions, settlement and development are likely to be rapid. We have invited the Canadian National to participate in the operation of these lines and they have agreed to do so.

SILK USED DURING YEAR VALUED AT $370,000,000

By HENRY SCHNIEWIND,
(President, Silk Association of America.)
By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—United States silk manufacturers employing raw silk consumed in production of broad silks, ribbons, velvets and tie silks during 1928 approximately 570,000 bales valued at $370,000,000. Stability in prices and continued popularity of silk indicate that this country will continue in 1929 to manufacture and consume more silk than any other.

Silk manufacturers have taken steps to improve the product of American silk looms by special attention to styling, and by holding conferences in the Orient, source of supply, with the aim of improving quality. Standards have been set up to assure sufficient weighting to allow proper draping of silk fabrics. Organization of the National Raw Silk Exchange was another interesting development of the year.

Consumption has fairly kept parallelled production. Hosiery manufacturers have experienced an increased demand for pure silk hosiery. Velvets are enjoying unprecedented popularity. Ribbon manufacturers look for an increased demand next spring. Indications are the American public will continue to obtain silk fabrics reasonable in price and beautiful in styling during 1929.

EXPERT DEFINES FRENCH ATTITUDE ON REPARATIONS

Nothing in Its Policy Is Opposed to Interests of Other Allies, Lacour-Gayet Asserts.

By ROBERT LACOUR-GAYET
Financial Attache of the French Embassy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Ten years after the close of the war the European Prime Ministers, meeting in Geneva last September, agreed in recognizing the necessity of a "complete and definite settlement of the problem of reparations." Since that date, uninterrupted exchanges of views took place between the interested Governments and Parker Gilbert, and now it can be hoped that, early in January, a new committee of experts will meet in order to seek a solution of the whole of the problem of reparations. It is not exaggerated to say that on the favorable issue of its studies, depends the final liquidation of the war, the establishment of trustful and cordial relations between France and Germany, and the development of the European union, which is, for Europe, since the war, the real condition of its existence and its prosperity.

The French policy in matter of reparations has often given rise to many misunderstandings. Some professed to see in it proof of imperialistic tendencies, and some French statesmen have sometimes been accused of trying to utilize for political purposes the purely financial clauses of the Treaty of Versailles.

Bringing the Situation Home.

This policy has been, and is, in fact, entirely dominated by the situation in which France found herself on the day after the Armistice. Let one imagine one-quarter of the United States, the richest part of the country, entirely devastated. Let one realize the loss of 1,100,000 men, or almost 4 per cent of the total population (this would be the equivalent of 4,500,000 men in proportion with the present population of the United States), and one will have some idea of the losses suffered by France.

The problem, at the time, was, therefore, as follows:

Should the devastated regions be reconstructed and the war pensions paid when and if the reparations payments were received from Germany? Or, on the contrary, should the country be inspired in making another effort and be asked to assume, out of its own resources, the reconstruction of the devastated regions, figuring that our advances would ultimately be reimbursed by Germany?

This second solution was the one adopted. Ten years later, when one sees industrial development which is taking place in regions from which all traces of life had disappeared in 1918, and when it is remembered that the taxes collected in the northern part of France represent almost 15 per cent of the total fiscal resources of the French Government, it must be admitted that the decision taken in 1919 not only satisfied ethics and justice, but correspond exactly to the most evident economic interest of the country.

What France Has Paid Out.

However gratifying the results may be, the policy of reconstruction has imposed on France a terrific burden. From 1914 to 1927 49,541,000,000 francs were spent for damages to individuals (war pensions) and 89,376,000,000 francs for damages to properties (reconstruction of buildings, railroads, etc.) or a total of 138,917,000,000 francs.

Who could, therefore, be surprised that, under these conditions, even putting aside all ideas of justice, even forgetting that morality demands that the author of a damage should be made to repair it, all the Governments of France since 1918 should have had constantly in mind the total—or partial—recuperation of the amounts that France invaded had paid from her own resources?

The treaty of Versailles, after having established the principle of the German responsibility in the matter of damages, recognizes that the resources of Germany are not sufficient to insure the complete reparation of those damages. Therefore, the treaty limits the engagements of Germany and foresees that the amount of the damages for which reparation is due will be fixed by a commission of reparations and notified to the German Government at the latest on May 1, 1921.

The evolution of the problem of reparations since the armistice has thus passed through several periods. From 1918 to 1921 the amount of the German debt was not settled. From 1921 to 1923 Germany recognized her debt to be 132,000,000,000 of gold marks, but her financial and economic situation did not make possible any regular payments. From 1924 to 1929 a temporary solution of the problem has been found in the Dawes plan. It is now for the committee of experts to settle the question definitely in fixing the number and amount of annuities which Germany will bind herself to pay and in studying the possibilities of a commercialization of the German debt.

The French policy in this matter has been clearly defined twice this year by Poincare in two speeches at Chambery and Caen. France is only asking from Germany sufficient amounts to allow her to insure the payment of her own debt to the United States and England during the whole period in which she will have to effect these payments, plus a net indemnity as reimbursement for the amounts she has advanced for reparation of damages to properties. France is favorable to any solution which, in allowing the commercialization of the German debt, might hasten the moment of the final liquidation of the obligations arisen out of the war.

Nothing in this policy is opposed to the interests of the other allied Governments, and the French Government could certainly not be reproached on the ground of making exaggerated requests, when they are only asking for the payment of their own debts, and an indemnity.

Nothing, in these requests, ought likewise to stop the German Government, if they really wish to reach an agreement. The proof was made, by the experience of the Dawes Plan, that Germany can pay and transfer an annuity of 2,500,000,000 of gold marks. It is to her, plaintiff in the matter, to say now whether she prefers to continue in the present system, which does not foresee any end to her obligations and which imposes upon her a foreign control, or, if to the contrary, it is not her interest to see her obligations definitely settled, to insure their execution of her own free will and thus prepare the moment when it will, at last, be possible to establish a French-German understanding of which war taugh both countries the price and necessity.

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FAIRLY SATISFACTORY YEAR FOR THE MEAT PACKERS

Receipts Generally Moderate and Demand Fairly Steady.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The past year was fairly satisfactory for the meat packing industry. Except for heavy runs of hogs in the first quarter and in October and November, livestock receipts were moderate and demand was fairly steady. Livestock prices, except in the case of hogs during the months of heavy receipts, were at relatively high levels.

A decline in hog values that began in September, following a substantial increase in hog arrivals at central markets, disturbed inventory values and resulted in somewhat smaller profits for the year than might otherwise have been realized.

United States Department of Agriculture reports indicate that in 1929 cattle supplies will continue rather light and that hog supplies probably will be sufficient to maintain a rather close balance between the supply and prospective demand.

American meat packing industry should have a fairly successful year if industrial activity continues at a high rate and the demand from abroad for American pork products continues on about same level as 1928, or improves as foreign trade experts predict.

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THREE INDUSTRIES REACH NEW HIGH POINTS IN 1928

Steel, Auto and Construction Trades Set Records, President of American Bankers Declares.

By CRAIG B. HAZLEWOOD,
Vice President Union Trust Co., Chicago, President American Bankers' Association.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The year 1928 has been one of superlatives in many directions. The steel, automobile and construction industries have reached new high points. Distribution, including wholesale and retail trade, as well as mail order and chain store sales, has set new records. Profits have exceeded even the record year of 1926. Labor is widely employed and at good wages. Agricultural income will equal or exceed 1927. Although the year saw increases in business failures, a tightening of commercial credit and weak spots in the coal, textile and petroleum industries, it is safe to assert that, as a whole, the American people are enjoying a larger measure of prosperity than ever before.

Business in 1928 has marched into new high ground. It will enter 1929 with a preponderance of favorable factors, and should go forward at a satisfactory pace.

The American banking system in 1928 has given ample evidence of its fundamental soundness and its progressive adaptability to changing conditions. In spite of the loss of several hundred million dollars of gold through export to foreign countries during the year, and in spite of the great amounts of credit absorbed by the stock exchanges there has been an ample supply of credit at reasonable rates available for business needs.

We have not only financed great undertakings in this country but have loaned great amounts for the financing of projects in foreign countries.

The inherent soundness of our Federal Reserve System has been ably demonstrated and the courage and resourcefulness of the banks of the country have achieved both, the proper trusteeing of our financial resources and their use in the channels which make for the broader distribution of prosperity and well being.

The factors which make for prosperity are in the ascendancy, and there is every justification for reasonable optimism regarding the future. Production is at a high point; prices are firm; purchasing power is well maintained; inventories are low; transportation and distribution are well managed; relations between capital and labor are satisfactory, and there is sufficient credit for legitimate business purposes.

American business is entering a new era. The pioneering and experimentation of the past have resulted in great improvements in production, in distribution, in finance and in management. The problem of the future is one of coordination in order that the benefits of our achievements may be distributed more widely.

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Animal Population of Canada.

The number of farm livestock in Canada as in June, 1928, is estimated as follows: Milch cows, 3,792,522; other cattle, 5,000,750; total cattle, 8,793,272; sheep, 2,415,788; swine, 4,497,367; hens and chickens, 49,592,855; turkeys, 2,065,797; geese, 1,125,047; ducks, 595,840; total poultry, 53,779,539.

INVESTMENT TRUSTS HAVE BILLION IN TOTAL CAPITAL

New Form of Concern Has Rapid Growth in U. S., and Principle Is Used in Several Other Countries.

By LELAND REX ROBINSON,
President Second International Securities Corporation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Some six years ago, when the writer was sent by the Department of Commerce to London and Edinburgh for the purpose of studying the operation of British investment trusts, this type of financial institution was all but unknown in the United States. A compilation today shows, however, that there are in the United States approximately 200 investment trusts and companies, with fully $1,000,000,000 represented in their subscribed share and bond capital.

Of course, the number of investment trusts and the amount of capital represented by them depends upon the definition which they must arbitrarily adopt for the purpose. I believe the figure of $1,000,000,000, however, is sufficiently conservative; it is exclusive of such large holding companies as the Bancitaly Corporation.

During the 12 months which have just closed, several hundred million dollars in share, debenture and bond capital have been raised by American investment trusts. The growth of the movement has been most marked in the United States during the year, but may be noted also in Canada, in Great Britain and on the continent. Several such corporations have in recent years been launched in Canada, including the London-Canadian Investment Corporation and the Economic Investment Trust, Ltd.

Financial leaders in Germany have become impressed with the soundness of the underlying principles, and many adaptations of the investment trust idea, as in organizations such as the Bayerische Investment Trust Co., A. C., are to be found in that country. Belgium, long an important center for financial companies of the investment trust type, has seen its institutions of this kind continue to grow and prosper.

Switzerland, where many companies of this type have long been familiar and useful mediums of investment, is watching their further development, while in several cases, as with the American European Securities Co., and the Continental Securities Corporation in Zurich (Thesaurus), investment trust securities recently offered American investors have resulted from co-operation between American and Swiss banking groups. Stirrings of interest in investment companies are to be clearly felt in Italy, France and Japan.

In Great Britain itself, in a true sense the homeland of investment trusts, companies of this character are being created, and the capital of old established enterprises increased, probably at a more rapid pace than during any other period in its financial history.

Furthermore, as in corporations such as the United States and British International Co., Ltd., and the American and Scottish Investment Co., there are evidences of increasing co-operation among English, Scottish and American bankers in extending the benefits of this kind of co-operative investment to the rank and file of investors in more than one country.

WABASH RAILWAY IMPROVED PROPERTY DURING YEAR

President of Line Recommends Economy in Industry and Government.

By J. E. TAUSSIG,
President Wabash Railway Co.

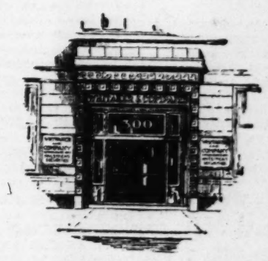
The year 1928 has been a satisfactory one from an industrial standpoint. All industries, by practicing economy in operation and production, have prospered.

I am glad to say that the Wabash Railway has been able to continue its program of improving the property so as to give economical and efficient service.

I have no reason to believe but that business conditions for the year 1929 will be equal to the year 1928.

It would seem, however, that in order to maintain these conditions it will be necessary for industries to continue to practice economy in operation and production, and that Congress and the state and municipal government bodies practice economy so industry and the individual will be relieved of the tax burden that has increased more than 100-fold in the last 10 years.

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PRIVATE WIRES TO PRINCIPAL MARKETS

GREATER VOLUME OF GRAIN IS DRAWN TO THE ST. LOUIS MARKET

LOCAL RECEIPTS ON EXCHANGE SET RECORD IN 1928

F. B. Chamberlain, President Reports That Members Reached Out Into New Territory.

By F. B. CHAMBERLAIN,
President, Merchants' Exchange.

The year just closing, from the records of the Exchange, shows that there has been more grain received at St. Louis than in any time during the history of the organization. This is due partly to the fact that there was a short crop in the eastern states, and that the buyers of the mills in those sections came to the St. Louis market for their supplies, which in turn drew grain to this market. Another factor contributing to the large receipts is that our members reached out into territories that heretofore had not been worked as strenuously as they were this year, thereby developing business at the St. Louis market to a large extent.

Another thing that has helped this year is the pointing out to the trade in general that the geographical location of St. Louis makes it the central market, as it is the largest port on the Mississippi River. In fact, we have adopted the slogan, "Where the Barge Line Meets the Railroads." Our members have been very active this year in the exportation of grain via the Barge Line, and at times would have taken all the equipment that the Barge Line had if it would have been possible to secure same.

St. Louis is the largest soft wheat market in the country, and mills grinding that class of wheat come to this Exchange for their supplies. However, the drawing of low protein hard wheat from the Southwest, in the States of Kansas and Oklahoma, has changed the situation temporarily somewhat, as we handled more hard wheat this year than we did soft wheat.

Secretary's Summary.

C. B. Rader, secretary of the Merchants' Exchange, in a summary of year's activities, says:

"Local receipts of wheat this year amounted to 34,342,895 bushels, which is an increase of 11,492,297 bushels over last year. We drew into the market this year large quantities of wheat from the States of Oklahoma and Kansas. The expansion of our members' activities in those territories was due to the fact that in the early part of the season it was reported that there would be a short crop in the Central States, but later on the crop did not prove to be as short as was expected, so that the normal flow of grain came in from the surrounding states as well as grain from the Southwest.

"Local receipts of corn this year amounted to 27,187,086 bushels, which is an increase of 8,873,449 bushels over last year. St. Louis is the natural corn market for the Mississippi Valley. There has been a good demand this year for the better varieties of corn which are used by the feed plants and industries that grind corn for various commercial uses.

"Local receipts of oats this year amounted to 15,645,563 bushels, which is a decrease of 373,437 bushels under last year. This is partly due to a general decline in the demand for oats.

"Local receipts of rye at St. Louis this year amounted to 115,842 bushels, which is a decrease under last year.

Barley Receipts Doubled.

"Local receipts of barley this year amounted to 1,883,989 bushels, which is an increase of 983,089 bushels over last year. The large increase in barley shipments is due largely to the extensive use of that product in feeds and the making of cereals and beverages. It is thought that with the expanding activities of our food mills and industries the movement of barley will increase from year to year at St. Louis.

"Local receipts of kaffir corn amounted to 6,675,000 bushels, which is an increase of about 36,000 bushels over last year. This grain is also used extensively by the feed manufacturers in the making of stock feeds.

"The manufacturing of feeds at St. Louis is one of its foremost industries, and is expanding from year to year, which requires large amounts of grains and other material, and the local millers are in the market daily buying supplies for the fulfillment of their orders.

Barge Line Shipments.

"Shipments of grain for export via the Mississippi River this year amounted to 3,237,914 bushels. This amount could have been increased considerably, but the inability to procure barges at the proper time somewhat retarded the movement, and contracts that were made were forced by rail. New appropriations have been made, however, during the year for the increasing of floating equipment.

"Summing up the situation, the receipts at St. Louis, and the business done, show the year of 1928 to be the largest year in the history of the Merchants' Exchange with respect to grain receipts and grain sold. The value of the 79,848,375 bushels handled this year is approximately $150,000,000.

(Note: It will be understood, of course, that the figures for December are not complete, but estimated.)

RECORD FOR EARNINGS SET BY CORPORATIONS IN 1928; ASSETS LARGEST KNOWN

Head of Standard Statistics Co. Predicts Continued Progress for at Least First Half of 1929.

By LAURENCE H. SLOAN,
Managing Editor, Standard Statistics Co., Inc.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Even though this analysis deals mainly with what happened in 1928, it must to a considerable extent constitute a forecast, rather than a review. It is concerned with corporation profits as they are reported in hard and fast figures by the corporations themselves, and the actual official reports upon which to base definite conclusions will not be available for several more months.

This is the forecast:

Aggregate 1928 net profits of leading corporations (industrials, utilities and railroads combined) will set a new record for all time, exceeding 1927 results by 10 per cent or more and even surpassing the 1926 results, which, up to that time, were record breaking.

Industrial profits will show the greatest expansion, the increase as compared with 1927 amounting to at least 15 per cent and perhaps running as high as 20 per cent. The gain registered by the utilities will amount to some 10 per cent. That of the railroads will be much smaller, running around 5 per cent greater than in 1927.

Record in Dividends Too.

The sum paid out in dividends will set a new high record.

Aggregate cash and equivalent in corporation treasuries will be larger than at any previous year-end. General financial condition will be stronger.

The margin of profit (that is, the percentage of gross saved for net) will probably at least equal the record of the best previous year.

In other words, present indications are that 1928 has been a banner year, in point of fiscal results, for large corporations. And while we are at the forecast business, we may as well set down the estimate for the first half of 1929, and then (with the minimum of delay) revert to actualities which can be statistically demonstrated: now known, it is reasonable to assume that, now known, it is reasonable to assume that profits of leading corporations during the first six months of the current year will by a sizeable margin exceed those that were achieved in the first half of last year. We feel that a definite opinion as to probabilities during the last half of the year is at present unjustified.

Figures for Most of 1928.

The following two tables report results for the first nine months of 1928 and supply the statistical bases upon which the estimates of 1928 probabilities rest.

Table 1.—Aggregate net income by grand divisions:

First Nine Months' Net Income.
(Three ciphers omitted.)

	1927.	1928.	1928's per cent gain.
260 Industrials	$ 892,876	$1,072,320	+20.1
47 Utilities	243,074	274,758	+13.0
307 Industrials and utilities	1,135,950	1,347,078	+18.6
185 Railroads	809,959	819,855	+ 1.2
492 Industrials, railroads and utilities	1,945,909	2,166,933	+11.3

Table 2.—Aggregate net income by groups:

INDUSTRIALS.
First Nine Months' Net Income.
(Three ciphers omitted.)

No. cos.	Group—	1927.	1928.	1928's per cent gain. or loss.
12	Apparel	$ 383	$ 837	+118.5
2	Radio, pho.	8,211	14,394	+ 75.3
7	Copper and brass	20,697	36,000	+ 73.9
2	Silk	1,202	2,035	+ 69.3
16	Auto parts and acces.	20,940	31,328	+ 49.6
3	Leath. and shoes	2,502	3,600	+ 43.9
35	Oil produc. ing & ref.	71,352	102,570	+ 43.4
9	Min. & sm.	12,403	16,435	+ 31.5
39	Miscel. ser.	81,027	107,488	+ 31.2
4	Theaters, motion pic	10,068	12,622	+ 25.4
13	Autos and trucks	261,820	320,441	+ 22.4
13	Mach. and mch. equi.	8,402	10,328	+ 22.9
9	Retail trd.	16,966	19,963	+ 18.1
9	Chemicals	38,525	43,361	+ 12.5
4	Office and bus. equi.	8,108	9,010	+ 11.1
2	Elec. equi.	35,391	38,885	+ 9.8
14	Sil. and ir.	122,320	131,453	+ 7.5
8	Househ. pr	12,414	13,303	+ 7.2
21	Food pr.	95,341	100,671	+ 5.6
6	Paper and pa. prdts.	8,128	8,380	+ 3.1
8	Tobacco & sch. prdts.	9,248	9,340	+ 1.0
4	Ld. & zinc	6,032	5,969	— 1.0
13	Bldg. real estate	16,744	13,939	— 16.7
4	Coal & ck.	3,514	2,466	— 29.8
5	Railrd. eq.	13,358	8,630	— 35.4
260	Total ind.	$892,876	$1,072,320	+ 20.1

PUBLIC UTILITIES.

24	El. light, pow., gas, etc.	$ 87,795	$ 103,473	+ 17.8
8	Tel. & tel.	148,338	165,146	+ 11.3
15	Tract., motor tr., etc	6,941	6,139	— 11.7
47	Tl. pub ut	$243,074	$ 274,758	+ 13.0

It will be observed that a number of important lines of industry are not included in Table 2 and that in some lines which are included the number of concerns represented is relatively small. Both circumstances are attributable to the fact that interim reports are unavailable for the missing lines and companies.

Good Production Prices.

To list and analyze fully the factors which were responsible for the expansion in profits last year would require space far outrunning that which is here available. The two most important factors were these:

The year 1928 was one of full production. The Standard Statistic Co.'s production index averaged 121 in 1928, as compared with 117 in 1927 and 120 in 1926.

It was a year of stable to rising prices. The Bureau of Labor's index (with December of 1928 estimated) averaged 97.7 in 1928, 95.4 in 1927 and 100 in 1926. It was the relative stability of prices last year, rather than the size of the increase, which accounted for the better profits results, although in a few lines of industry—notably apparel, copper, miscellaneous metals, steel and oil—higher prices accounted for the enhancement of earning power.

Volume Causes Fluctuations.

Conversely, it was difficult with either volume or prices, or both, which mainly accounted for the fact that a few lines of industry apparently earned less last year than in the year preceding. Building materials and supplies were in continuous oversupply throughout the year, with consequent disastrous effects upon prices. Coal is chronically excessive and doubtless will be so for some years to come. The prices of railroad equipment were relatively satisfactory, but volume was excessively scant.

The forecast that corporation profits during the current half year will run higher than in the corresponding period last year is based mainly on the assumption that during the greater part of this period, at least, production will be maintained at a level near the 1928 rate and that commodity prices will not show any marked recession.

The lines of business which, on the basis of facts now known, promise to report earnings during the current half year exceeding those returned during the first half of last year are:

Automobile parts and accessories, automobile tires, copper, fertilizers, miscellaneous metals, oil, radio and phonograph, steel, theaters and motion pictures.

Uncertainty as to Autos.

The automobile industry is omitted from the foregoing tabulation, due to the fact that conclusive evidence as to the trend of prices during the first half of this year is not now at hand.

However, there now seems little doubt that the volume of automobile production during the first half of the current year is likely to establish a new high record for an initial semester. It is for this reason that the automobile parts and accessories industry is included in the above list.

Then in a period of general and widespread prosperity such as the present one, successful achievement is always a selective thing. For that reason, data reporting aggregate and averages should not be accepted, save in their true meaning. Thus, of the 260 leading industrial concerns which reported their results for the first nine months, we find that 21 reported declines of 30 per cent or more in earnings as compared with the first nine months of 1928. More than 50 concerns reported declines of some size.

Some Gains Exceed 50 Per Cent.

On the other hand, 38 industrial concerns (or 14 per cent of the reporting total) reported gains of more than 50 per cent in net profit during the first nine months of 1928, as compared with the same period last year. The names on this roll of pecuniary honor are reported in Table 3, accompanying. Oil, copper and automobile parts and accessories concerns predominate.

Table 3—Reporting industrial concerns which showed the largest percentage of gain in net income (first nine months of 1928, compared with same period in 1927):

First Nine Months' Net Income.
(Three ciphers omitted.)

Company—	1927.	1928.	1928's per cent increase.
Louis. Oil & Refining Corp.	*$43	*$1,137	+2544.2
Nat'l Acme Co.	*103	*759	+ 636.9
Calumet & Hecla Cons. Cop. Co.	372	1,904	+ 400.7
Miami Corporation of Ariz.	311	1,343	+ 331.8
Penn. M. C. Corp.	1,588	6,895	+ 321.8
Wright Aeronautical Corp.	449	1,902	+ 296.9
Sweets Co. of Am.	*34	*97	+ 185.3
Amer. Zinc Lead and Smelt. Co.	$223	$594	+ 166.4
Simms Petrol. Co.	23	59	+ 156.5
Elec. Auto Life Co.	*2,556	*6,450	+ 152.3
Beacon Oil Co.	432	1,087	+ 151.6
Savage Arms Cor.	199	487	+ 144.7
Butte Copper and Zinc Co.	†34	†122	+ 144.4
Tide Water Associated Oil Co.	4,432	10,518	+ 137.3
Radio Corporation of America	4,141	9,746	+ 135.3
Am. West. Pa. Co.	105	243	+ 131.4
Otis Steel Co.	1,179	2,694	+ 128.5
Nev. Con. Cop. Co.	14,791	210,368	+ 116.1
Com. Credit Co.	1,298	2,758	+ 112.5
Richfield oil Co. of California	2,797	5,930	+ 108.1
Ludlum Steel Co.	201	413	+ 105.5
Indus. Rayon Co.	571	1,159	+ 103.0
War.-Quinlan Co.	584	1,150	+ 98.6
Internat'l Nickel, ‡	4,183	8,203	+ 96.1
Martin-Rockwell	710	1,404	+ 97.7
Blumenthal & Co.	1,004	1,989	+ 92.1
Am. Bosch Magneto Corp.	*195	*363	+ 86.2
Granby Consolidat. M. S. & P. Co.	11,182	12,106	+ 85.8
Safeway Stores	1,223	3,215	+ 81.1
Com. Invest. Tr.	2,090	3,714	+ 77.7
National Distillers Products Corp.	x175	x311	+ 77.7
U. S. Leather Co.	2,119	3,727	+ 75.9
Fox Film Corp.	*2,507	*4,334	+ 74.3
White Eagle Oil Refining Co.	5,747	*1,209	+ 66.9
Motor Whl. Corp	1,377	2,287	+ 66.3
Eaton Axle and Spring Co.	*743	*1,187	+ 60.0
Skelly Oil Co.	1,502	2,402	+ 54.7
Briggs Mfg. Co.	2,569	3,954	+ 53.9

*Before Federal taxes.
†Before depreciation.
‡Before depletion and Federal taxes.
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RUBBER DEALERS LOOK FORWARD TO PROSPEROUS YEAR

Industry Stabilized by Removal of British Restrictions, President of New York Exchange Says.

By F. R. HENDERSON,
President of the Rubber Exchange of New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Probably at no time in the last 25 years has the rubber industry looked forward with more confidence to a new year than at present.

Consider that 20 years ago the total production of rubber, wild and plantation, amounted to less than 70,000 tons. In 1928 the world will have consumed nearly 700,000 tons. Then you will better understand the enormous growth of the industry. What the rubber tire manufacturer has accomplished has largely contributed to the growth of the automobile industry.

After the deflation of 1921 the rubber industry was undergoing a period of readjustment when the Stevenson law was suddenly enacted, controlling the output of the crude material in an area that dominated the world's supply at that time.

It was almost impossible for the manufacturer in this country to base his selling-price on his rubber costs with any degree of certainty. Supplies were withheld in the British East to a point where prices were forced up.

Price Level Down One-half.

This could be only partially passed on to the public or ultimate consumer, but when declines took place there was no way of avoiding serious losses on the stocks on hand. On Nov. 1, 1928, the British restriction law was rescinded, and for the first time in six years the crude rubber market can now find its economic level. Knowledge of conditions in producing and consuming markets can be given consideration and study which, of course, has been impossible under Government regulation.

It is interesting to note that the world stock of rubber at the end of 1928 is approximately the same as at the end of 1927. The price level a year ago was approximately 40 cents per pound, whereas today's price level around 20 cents gives the manufacturing industry an opportunity for a healthy start in 1929.

The Rubber Exchange is constantly growing in its usefulness to various branches of the industry. Manufacturers can obtain price insurance for their future needs and at the same time protect excessive holdings in the face of a declining market on their raw material.

400,000 Tons Handled.

Perhaps the volume of business on the Rubber Exchange during the year is the best indication of its growth. Total transactions involved over 400,000 tons, or about the same amount as the country's consumption.

The automobile industry has become so thoroughly organized that estimates of an increase of 20 per cent in new car manufacture for next year do not seem unreasonable. Even the most skeptical are now realizing the important part motor transportation is playing in the industrial development and consequent prosperity of the country.

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NATIONAL CASH REGISTER HEAD FORESEES PROSPEROUS YEAR

F. B. Patterson Predicts Big Trade Increase in Europe and South America.

By FREDERICK B. PATTERSON,
President the National Cash Register Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The new year, insofar as it is possible to estimate at this time, promises to be an important one for American business. There is nothing to indicate a lessening of our industrial and commercial growth.

I believe the agricultural problems that have given us so much concern largely will be solved. This, of course, will afford the farming districts an opportunity to share in the tide of national prosperity.

The National Cash Register Co. which for many years has been considered a trade barometer, is planning for the greatest year in its history. Our business contacts are such that we are able to make a rather concise analysis of commercial conditions.

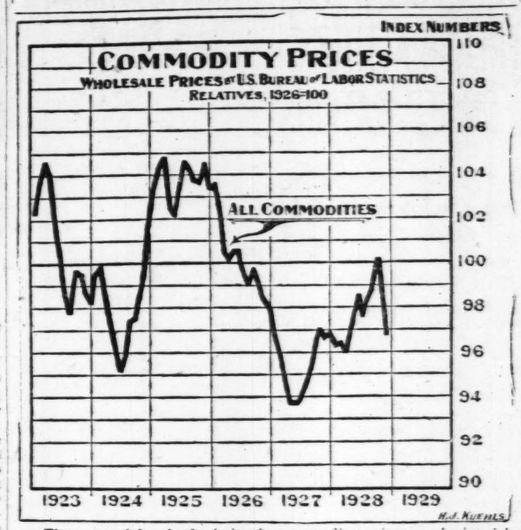
It appears to us that Europe will afford a magnificent trade field for our own and other American industries; but orders must be sought to be obtained. It will require, as it always does, keen sales efficiency to get the best available. Europe's position, we think, is becoming stronger every day as a trade area. This equally is true of South America.

WHOLESALE BUSINESS

The following table gives the average monthly total wholesale distribution of nine lines of trade, published by the Federal Reserve Board, in the last six years: 1923-1925 equal 100:

	1928	1927	1926	1925	1924	1923
January	94	94	105	103	103	100
February	97	95	104	103	102	100
March	99	98	100	100	94	104
April	96	97	97	100	99	100
May	96	95	99	99	95	102
June	89	93	99	100	91	102
July	92	95	97	102	93	101
August	98	100	97	101	95	102
September	94	96	100	100	101	99
October	95	91	94	105	99	103
November	--	95	98	100	99	100
December	--	92	95	98	101	95

Commodities Hold Below 1926 Level



The general level of wholesale commodity prices as depicted by the Bureau of Labor Statistics stands about where it was at this time last year.

Minor adjustments within the price family have been made during the year, but by and large the commodity movement has been characterized by a conspicuous absence of inflation.

In this important respect the commodity price situation differs from that which in previous cycles has brought trouble.

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IS OUR PROSPERITY SOUND, ASKS INSULL

Utility Financier Suggests We May Be Profiting From Past and Future.

By MARTIN J. INSULL,
President Middle-West Utilities Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. — While signs of well-being and prospects for improvement are plentiful, complacency should be rigorously avoided in entering upon the new year.

By far the best uses to which prosperity can be put are the conservative ones: First, to use it for the work of still further strengthening our position for the future, and, second, to subject our economic structure to the most searching analysis and criticism. We must make sure that our prosperity is as sound as we think it is and endeavor to eliminate from it whatever disadvantages have accompanied it and whatever weaknesses there may be in the situation.

How well distributed is our prosperity? The answer to this question may not be altogether to our liking, but it should be faced and, if necessary, solved so that the greatest possible part of our population may share in the country's prosperity.

Prosperity From Past and Future.

To what extent is the appearance of prosperity enhanced by realizing on our profits and savings of past years and spending the proceeds as current income?

To what extent are we deriving our prosperity from the future in such ways as installment selling and its accompanying credit expansion?

In other words, does our prosperity derive altogether from our current labors, or is it composed partly of past labors and future labors? Are we saving as much as we should of our current earnings, to be used as necessary in the future, or are we so self-satisfied as to think the future may always be as the present?

Merger and Chain Store Problems.

Again, is our industrial organization headed in precisely the right direction? The increased integration of industry, as manifested by industrial mergers in the field of production and chain store expansion in the field of distribution, will bring its problems as we change from owner managers to employes. No doubt there are gains in efficiency, but there may be losses in other values. The growth of our business enterprises must carry with it a full realization of the needs of the individual.

A conservative use of the earnings which the past year has brought will insure that greater prosperity which will be still more firmly founded and in which an increasing number of our citizens can share.

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More Canadians Visit Europe.

Ocean steamship passengers using the St. Lawrence route in 1928 numbered approximately 30,000 more than in the year before, with every class showing a gain. A total of 198,189 passengers crossed the Atlantic this season between Canada and European ports, as compared with 168,583 for the 1927 season, showing an increase of 29,606 for 1928. The westbound figures are more than double the eastbound carryings, being 136,142, as compared with 115,657 last season, while those outbound numbered 62,046, compared with 52,926.

Calgary Gets Train Load of Tractors.

What is reported to be the largest shipment of farm tractors made into one point arrived recently at Calgary. It was a train load of 32 cars, on which there were 128 tractors, for distribution throughout the province.

RECORD IN MAIL ORDER INDUSTRY

Merchandising Most Successful Since Business Was Started in 1872.

By GEORGE B. EVERITT,
President, Montgomery Ward & Co.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The year just finished has, from a merchandizing standpoint, been the most successful and the best all-around year for the mail order industry since this business was started by Montgomery Ward in 1872. Not only has our mail order volume more than held its own during this past year, but tremendous increases in sales have come to us through the development of our several hundred chain and retail stores.

More than 1,000,000 new families were added to our already large list of customers during the year, and we now number as customers of this company more than one-third of the families in the entire United States.

Farm Life More Stable.

Naturally, this sales performance, along with the plans for expansion, causes me to look forward to 1929 with a great deal of enthusiasm and with considerable confidence as to the outcome. In making this statement I am not attempting to prophesy general business over such a long period, because there are too many influences which might cause conditions in certain sections to fluctuate to a greater or lesser degree. I will state, however, that the favorable factors affecting the mail order and retail outlook for 1929 so far outnumber the unfavorable that only an optimistic forecast could be made at this time.

It is gratifying to note that the farmers' outlook is a little more favorable by comparison with 1927 and previous years. Prices recently paid producers for major crops and livestock have a purchasing power of about 5 per cent more than last year and this buying power should be reflected in a normal increase of trade from the rural sections during the coming year. Migration of farmers to the cities seems to be decreasing rapidly and this is one of the best indications of a more stable agricultural period ahead.

Program for 1929.

Reports from our field research organization indicate a favorable outlook for 1929 for the building industries and for the steel and automobile industries with an especial improvement forecasted for practically all of the textile industry.

Montgomery Ward & Co. looks forward to normal stable conditions of business in general for 1929 and for the first few months of the year, at least, there is in sight very little fluctuation in commodity prices or labor costs.

All of our plans for 1929 are laid for an expansion program equal to or greater than that of 1928.

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LOWRY TELLS USE OF SUGAR FUTURES

Exchange Head Reports Sales Approximately 13,000,000 Tons for Year—World Trades in the Market.

By FRANK C. LOWRY,
President, New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—With sugar sales on the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange totaling approximately 13,000,000 tons in 1928, the volume is most satisfactory, because free trading was somewhat hampered by reason of the fact that the Cuban Government placed a limitation on the size of the Cuban crop and uncertainties were created by the injection of a commission to handle the Cuban sugar exported to countries other than the United States.

This total has only been exceeded in 1927, when the volume reached 14,383,900 tons. In that year there were restrictions on production, but not in sales. A comparison of the world's sugar production for the past six years with sales on our exchange, together with the highs and lows for the period, follows:

Year.	World's Production (tons).	Sales on N. Y. Exchange (tons).
1923	18,203,297	5,401,500
1924	20,114,109	8,222,750
1925	22,723,648	10,023,550
1926	24,589,909	12,460,200
1927	23,723,172	14,383,900
1928	25,250,101	*13,000,000

*Estimated.

Year.	High.	Low
1923	6.90 Sep. in Apr	3.26 Mar24 in Aug
1924	5.83 July in Feb	2.65 Dec in Dec
1925	3.49 Dec. in Mar	1.94 Dec in Oct
1926	3.51 Sep. in Dec	2.18 Mar in Mar
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Low ... 4,3
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Low	200,000	170,000
Associated Press average prices		
20 leading industrials:		
High	$258.33*	$187.17
Low	178.84	141.23
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High	$157.69*	$132.95
Low	138.36	125.58
Brokers' Loans		
N. Y. Stock Exchange members:		
High	$8,391,644,264*	$4,432,907,321
Low	4,322,578,914	3,138,786,338
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Every known trading record was broken by the stock market this year, making the "war bride" boom of 1916-17 and the "inflation" boom of 1919-20 insignificant in comparison. Only two breaks marred the up-swing in prices, one in June and the other in early December, the latter being one of the shortest and most violent on record. Business apparently withstood successfully both reactions, which had the good effect of releasing speculative funds for commercial purposes.

Several reasons have been advanced for the wild advance in securities prices. A succession of prosperous years enabled many individuals and corporations to pay up their debts and to set aside substantial reserve funds which have been invested in securities. Organization of hundreds of investment trusts has taken billions of dollars in securities out of the market, reducing the floating supply of the high grade issues and making them easier to manipulate by professional "pools."

Other factors include the growing tendency toward the substitution, in whole or in part, of high grade common stocks instead of bonds as long term investments; the increase in employe stock purchase plans and customer ownership campaigns, which also have helped to create a new army of investors; extension to practically all the leading cities of the country of the stock ticker services, including general use of the "movie ticker."

Also greater space given by the newspapers to financial news and heavy foreign buying of American securities.

Wall street experienced its first 4,000,000 share day in September. Less than three months later the Stock Exchange set a new high record for all time just under 7,000,000 shares. Total sales for 1928 will run between 60 and 70 per cent above 1927.

Most all the old market barometers fell by the wayside in 1928. This was particularly true of the old rule that stocks continued to rise so long as the income from standard dividend paying issues was larger than the cost of carrying them on margin. Interest rates exceeded dividend yields last spring, but stocks later recorded a spectacular advance, which received only a temporary check in early December.

Compared to some of the other groups, steel shares made only a moderate advance in prices during 1928. U. S. Steel common advanced from a low of 132⅜ to a high of 172½, but lost part of its gain in the June break. Bethlehem Steel sold at the highest level in several years. A few of the specialty steels, such as Ludlum and Central Alloy, recorded striking gains.

Copper Advance.

An advance from 13 to 16 cents a pound in the price of copper, with predictions of further increases in the near future, provided the background for an advance in the copper shares. Dividends were increased or resumed on several of the popular issues, Kennecott authorizing a split-up of the stock. With several large electrification projects under way, a constant increase in the use of electric equipment, rapid development in new uses for the metal and low reserve stocks, the outlook for the copper industry is reported to be the best in years.

Public utility shares likewise benefit from new electrification projects and the steady growth in the use of radio. Household and factory use of electricity has come to be regarded as a good barometer of business, the increase in 1928 over the year before being about 8 per cent.

Excess production still is the chief problem of the oil industry, but the oil shares started upward this summer when there was a definite turn for the better in earnings, particularly by the refining companies. The apparently successful voluntary pro-rating agreements in some Western and Texas fields and the better understanding between American and foreign producers, coupled with the adoption of a code of ethics by the industry, holds out hope of further improvement next year.

Suspension of operations by the Ford factories for several months stimulated the sales of other automobile manufacturers and helped to account for the rise in their stocks. Several important mergers were announced during the year. General Motors Corporation reported a record-breaking sales and earnings.

Prospects Encouraging.

Increasing use of chemicals in industry and agriculture was reflected in the higher earnings of the leading chemical companies and the marked appreciation in their securities. Farm implement stocks were strong in reflection of the increase in agricultural purchasing power, and the popularity of the new harvesting machines. Abandonment of the Stevenson restriction scheme revived speculative activity in the rubber shares.

Although several large companies were forced to take large inventory losses earlier in the year, the prospects for 1929 were generally regarded as encouraging. Rubber production has increased from 70,000 tons to 700,000 tons annually in the last 20 years, due largely to the growth in the automobile industry.

Opening of new airplane routes and the rapid expansion of the air mail service provided the background for the advance in aviation stocks.

Mail order stocks, particularly Montgomery-Ward, were the sensations of the 1928 market, due to the unusually large increase in earnings, and their entrance into the chain store field on a large scale.

Although freight car loadings failed to reach the record-breaking totals of 1926, many Class 1 railroads, by means of operating economies, were able to show a marked improvement in earnings.

Coal, textile, railroad equipment and paper industries all struggled with adverse conditions during 1928, but hope of improvement was held in each case as the year closed.

With indications of an early settlement of Germany's reparation problem, the lifting of war clouds in South America and the early inauguration of Herbert Hoover, a trained specialist in international trade, as President of the United States, the foreign outlook is regarded as particularly promising.

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MARKET EXCESSES CALLED A DANGER BY PRESIDENT OF CONSOLIDATED GAS

By GEORGE B. CORTELYOU, President Consolidated Gas Co. of New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

BUSINESS in 1928 has held up quite as well as and possibly a little better than was generally predicted at the beginning of the year. The fundamentals of the situation are still sound, the favorable factors greatly outnumber the unfavorable factors and in looking forward to 1929 we are cheered by many encouraging aspects.

One cannot contemplate without uneasiness, however, the speculative excesses which are being indulged in by a large section of the public, which have already resulted in a sharp advance in interest rates and which, unless checked, may react injuriously upon the general business situation. The longer such excesses continue, the more violent will be their end, the consequences of which, unfortunately, will not be confined to those directly responsible for them.

The utilities have had a prosperous year. Their plant and distribution facilities have been added to and improved, their personnel has been strengthened and they are in better shape than ever before to take care of the demands of their customers.

WOOLWORTH COMPANY HEAD SEES 1929 AS BANNER YEAR

Money Carries Over Into New Year.

By H. T. PARSON, President, F. W. Woolworth Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—As to the outlook for 1929 from a business standpoint, as I view it, we are in for a very good year. The crops of 1928 were good and marketed at better prices than before, which will mean that that money carries over into 1929 to stimulate business.

Unemployment is gradually decreasing as each month since the first of September shows a gradual decrease in unemployment and an increase in the per capita wage, which will give added buying power.

The export business of the country is improving steadily and we will have a large export credit for the year 1928. No doubt 1929 will show further improvement in exports of American products to foreign countries.

Our mass production produces higher wages for the individual worker and keeps the cost of the finished product down so that we can successfully compete in the markets of the world for business.

The President's message is very constructive and if the policies outlined by him are carried through by Congress it will materially aid the railroads, one of the backbones of prosperity in this country.

Viewing the situation as a whole, I feel that 1929 will be a banner year in industry and retail selling.

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STOCK MARKET IS SWAYED BY BANK CREDIT

Bank Economist Finds Commerce and Industry Have Continued Conservative Policies.

By BENJAMIN M. ANDERSON JR., PH. D. Economist of the Chase National Bank.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The business situation is strong at the end of 1928. Volume of business is large, profits are good and there is general confidence, though certain lines continue to lag, notably agriculture, coal, textiles, railroad equipment, paper and paper products. Even in textiles there has been improvement toward the end of the year. Business in 1928 has fully recovered from the substantial setback of 1927, and it is probable that the full record of the year will show both volume and profits slightly better than the very high records made in 1926.

But relatively little attention has been paid to business in 1928, in view of the much more dramatic and interesting developments in the money market and in the stock market. They have had the center of the stage. The stock market has moved without regard to business for the past two years. While business was slumping in 1927 far below the level set in 1926, the stock market moved up vigorously. the New York Times averages on 50 stocks showing an advance from 139.53 on Jan. 1, 1927, to 181.96 on Dec. 31, 1927. While business was recovering in 1928 to levels perhaps a little above those of 1926, the stock market continued to make a tremendous rise, moving from 181.96 at the end of 1927 to 227.60 on Nov. 30, 1928, and dropping to 207.99 on Dec. 8, 1928, not because of any change in the business outlook, but because call money tightened and went to 12 per cent on Dec. 6.

Reserve Policies and Stock Market.

The year 1928 in the money market and the stock market is not to be understood apart from the autumn of 1927. The immense speculative wave was generated then by the extremely cheap money which grew out of the efforts of the Federal Reserve authorities to meet a special situation in Europe. Regarding this Secretary Mellon said in his recent annual report:

"It was the policy of the Federal Reserve System in the summer and early fall of 1927 to favor easier money conditions. The principal reasons were: First, the European exchanges were weak . . . and second, business in the United States was in a period of decline.

As it became apparent, first, that the objects of the policy originally adopted were being accomplished and, second, that speculation was growing, the policy was reversed. * * * However, the action taken early in the year unquestionably was not effective with reference to speculation, partly due to the activities of powerful groups of speculators and partly due to the fact that the public in general believed and acted as if the price of securities would indefinitely advance.

With the beginning of 1928 the Federal Reserve authorities reversed the cheap money policy: ceased to offset, by increased Federal Reserve Bank credit, the exports and earmarkings of gold which had begun in the autumn of 1927; sold Government securities and allowed the further loss of gold to exercise its full effect upon our money market. Money rates tightened and the stock market hesitated. During the month of February it appeared as if the changed Federal Reserve policy might quiet the speculative excitement. Loss of gold and the selling of Government securities by the Federal Reserve banks actually reduced member banks reserves and the stock market dropped.

But in March speculative enthusiasm broke out again vigorously and member banks borrowed from the Federal Reserve banks more than enough between the first of March and the beginning of May to offset the loss of gold and the Federal Reserve Bank credit withdrawn through the sale of Government securities.

Rediscount Rates Below Market.

But with the increasing pressure which rediscounting involved money rates advanced and the rediscount rates at the Federal Reserve banks advanced—remaining, however, always below market rates. Had the Federal Reserve banks, from the beginning, pursued the traditional central bank policy of keeping rediscount rates above the market, their sales of Government securities in the early part of the year would doubtless have sufficed to tighten things up adequately.

With respect to Federal Reserve Bank policy at this stage, however, it must be said that on the basis of their past experience, the measures they took might have been expected to be adequate. Similar measures in the spring of 1923 were easily adequate. Ordinarily, when member bank rediscounts rise above $600,000,000, the pressure is real, but the new factor with which it is easy to reckon in retrospect, but with which it was not easy to reckon in prospect, was the intensity of speculative enthusiasm and confidence which six years of easy money and rising values had built up, and which the renewed easy money of the autumn of 1927 had whipped into vivid intensity.

Stocks Follow Credit Courses.

Federal Reserve policy with respect to the money market did not relax until the early autumn. Money market tension led to stock market reaction in June and to a relatively dull stock market during the summer. A moderate relaxation came with the autumn, however, when the Federal Reserve banks, apparently desirous of preventing rates on commercial loans from rising during the period of the autumn commercial expansion, began to purchase a very large and unusual volume of acceptances. The moderately easier—though not easy—money which followed this was enthusiastically utilized by the stock market to stage another demonstration.

This phase of Federal Reserve policy apparently ended in the latter part of November, and money rates at the Stock Exchange tightened very sharply early in December under the influence of increasing pressure on bank reserves and continued enormous stock market demands for credit. Rates on commercial loans remained moderate, however, as the banks have systematically discriminated in favor of commercial credits. With the sharp tightening of money, the stock market reacted sharply, dropping from 227.60 on Nov. 30, 1928, to 207.99 on Dec. 8, 1928.

The following table shows the volume of brokers' loans during the year:

Brokers' Loans
(In Thousands of Dollars.)

		Total loans N. Y. S. E. figures.	*Total loans Fed. Res. figures.
Nov. 30	1927	4,091,520	3,511,000
Dec. 31	1927	4,428,907	3,718,000
Feb. 29	1928	4,322,579	3,722,000
May 31	1928	5,274,046	4,466,000
July 31	1928	4,887,348	4,259,000
Nov. 30	1928	6,391,644	5,289,900
Dec. 12	1928	.....	5,175,751

*Weekly figures nearest end of month.

Sources of Brokers' Loans (Federal Reserve Figures)
(In Thousands of Dollars.)

	For own account	For acct of out of town banks	For acct others
Dec. 28, '27	1,373,536	1,338,291	1,005,795
Jan. 25, '28	1,275,055	1,472,135	1,041,495
Aug. 29, '28	793,030	1,535,000	1,907,000
Dec. 12, '28	1,045,096	1,794,078	2,336,582

Stocks and Money Trends.

The following table, based on the New York Times figures, shows the movement of the stock market during the year, together with comparable figures for preceding years:

	Full Years: High.		Low.		Last
1928	299.53	Nov 30	177.71	Feb 20	295.68
1927	185.47	Dec 4	135.82	Jan 27	181.90
1926	166.35	Dec 20	109.03	Mar 30	139.53
1925	158.21	Dec 28	101.16	Mar 30	157.46
1924	107.23	Dec 31	82.26	Apr 22	106.76
1923	95.52	Mar 6	77.15	Oct 29	84.15
1922	93.96	Oct 18	66.01	Jan 10	80.57
1921	73.13	May 6	58.35	Jun 21	68.50
1920	94.07	Apr 8	62.70	Dec 22	67.96

*December 1.

The following table shows the main changes in money rates during the year:

		Call		90 day com. paper	90 day time money
		Accepts' loans	re-day		
1928	90 days	newals			
Jan.	4	3½ @4½	5½	4	4½
April	18	4 @5	5	4	4½
July	3	4½ @4½	10	5	6
July	25	4½ @4½	5½	5½	6
Sept.	5	4½ @4½	6	5½	6½
Sept.	26	4½ @4½	7	5½	7½
Oct.	31	4½ @4½	7½	5½	6½ @7
Nov.	14	4½ @4½	8	5½	6½ @7
Nov.	28	4½ @4½	8	5½ @5½	7
Dec.	7	4½ @4½	10	5½ @5½	7½
Dec.	11	4½ @4½	8	5½ @5½	7½

Corporate Loans Check Interest Rates

One highly interesting episode which has increased the difficulties of money market control in 1928 has been the return to the money market of funds generated during the preceding years of rapid bank expansion, during which corporations and foreign countries have been able to obtain easily through security flotations here a great volume of dollar funds in excess of their current needs. With the high rates at the Stock Exchange these funds have been taken out of bank deposits and other uses and loaned largely on call to brokers. In the process, bank deposits, chiefly New York bank deposits, have gone down and New York banks have turned over to the outside lenders substantial blocks of brokers' loans which they themselves had held. The result of the declining bank deposits, offset by declining bank loans without any loss in reserves, has been to lessen the pressure on bank reserves and thus to prevent money rates from rising as fast as they otherwise would have done with the tremendous stock market demands.

In the midst of the speculative excitement in the securities market commerce and industry seem, on the whole, to have continued their conservative policies, adhering pretty well to hand-to-mouth buying which has served them so well for the past few years, borrowing moderately at the banks and giving and taking credit in moderate and conservative ways in their dealings with one another. The general commercial credit situation remains strong and sound.

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FURTHER GROWTH SEEN IN UTILITY BUSINESS

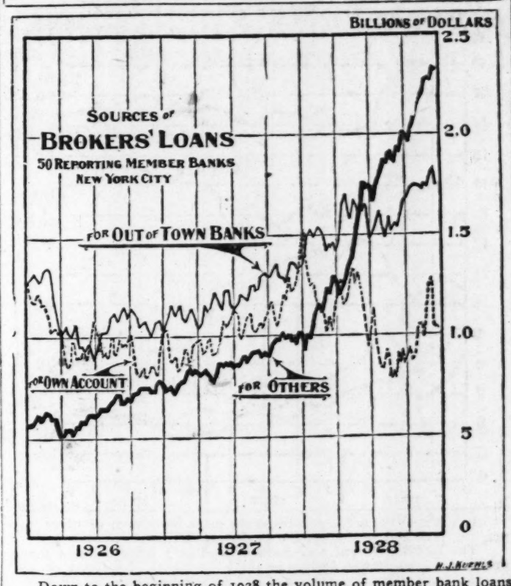
By PHILIP G. GOSSLER President of the Columbia Gas & Electric Corporation

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

I BELIEVE that during 1929 we may look for greater progress and expansion than ever before in the history of the utility business.

General business is good; in fact, better than it was a year ago, and every indication seems to point to the continued prosperity of the utility business.

Private Loans Swell Broker Total



Down to the beginning of 1928 the volume of member bank loans for the account of "others" was conspicuously smaller than either the volume loaned by member banks for their own account or for their correspondent banks.

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OUTLOOK FOR LOCAL STEEL INDUSTRY BRIGHT

Prices Are Strong and Activity in Construction Lines Is Increasing.

By CLARENCE H. HOWARD, President Commonwealth Steel Co.

The progress of business in the St. Louis steel industry during the last year has been encouraging, notwithstanding the slight depression which occurred this year and which is not uncommon during a presidential election year. Activity in the steel industry throughout the country has been well maintained and will compare favorably with last year.

Commodity prices show sustained strength; car loadings are holding up well; the agricultural outlook is favorable, with crops in general good; activity in the building and construction field is increasing; all of which points to greater demands upon the transportation facilities of the country, resulting in additional equipment orders from the railroads.

The southwest section, so rich in resources, is building up and developing these resources. As a result, practically all business in the St. Louis industrial district may expect increases, and especially the steel industry.

All of this presents an optimistic outlook for 1929 in the steel industry.

Clean Lamps Save Money.

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RAILROADS REPORT GAIN IN NET INCOME DESPITE DROP IN GROSS REVENUE

TRAFFIC LIGHTER, BUT EXPENSES ARE CUT BY ECONOMIES

Wage Levels Continue Upward, but Number of Employes is Smaller—Year Ends With Rise in Earnings.

By JOHN A. CRONE.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—American railroads in 1928 again were compelled to battle against rising costs and taxes, while passenger and freight receipts, owing to increased competition from busses, trucks, inland waterways and airplanes, declined. The railroads, through further increased operating efficiency, were able to report a gain in net income despite a drop in gross revenues.

Active discussion of mergers and consolidations continued, but the tangible results reached were almost negligible. Seven years have passed since the transportation act committed the Interstate Commerce Commission to a policy of railroad consolidation, and yet no consolidation under the terms of the act has been made effective, while the public mind has been confused by a series of consolidation proposals and counter-proposals, most of which have been rejected wholly or partial by the commission.

The commission granted the application of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Co. to acquire control of the Pere Marquette Railway Co. by purchases of capital stock. It denied, however, that part of the application which sought to acquire control of the Erie Railroad Co. by purchase of capital stock.

Plan for Purchase Denied.

The commission denied the application of the Delaware & Hudson Co. to acquire control of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Railway Co. by lease on the ground that it would not be in the interest of the public. Late in the year the Van Sweringen brothers privately purchased control of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg.

The commission granted authority to the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe to acquire control of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway by purchase of capital stock.

The railroads prior to the war had been undergoing a gradual but sure process of consolidation for 40 years. The Pennsylvania Co., for instance, is the outgrowth of a combination of more than 600 different companies. New York Central, Baltimore & Ohio and the Van Sweringens' interests to a lesser extent have been engaged in purchasing connecting railroad lines.

Plan for 21 Systems.

The transportation act of 1920, which was based on a plan worked out by Prof. William Z. Ripley of Harvard, suggesting the establishment of 21 systems with 22,899 miles of trackage in the longest and 764 in the shortest, gave the Interstate Commerce Commission charge of consolidation. The plan embraced 220,000 miles of railroad and disregarded some 39,000.

The commission concluded it would be impossible to work out such a comprehensive consolidation, and asked Congress to be relieved of the task. Railroads also were not very enthusiastic about compulsory consolidation.

The Parker bill, presented to the last and to the present session of Congress, relieves the commission from carrying out nation-wide consolidation under the transportation act, grants adequate power to consolidate with their consent and the commission's approval, protects dissenting stockholders and permits each carrier to bring about unifications by one or more methods best fitted to practical conditions confronting it.

Chance for Mergers Bright.

Present prospects are that chances for railroad mergers in 1929 are bright.

Railroad credit and railroad securities, from a relative point of view, registered a loss in 1928. The movement of the price of railroad securities was virtually sidewise, if not slightly downward, while industrial and public utility securities generally registered new high levels. The crash in security prices in early December, however, affected rails less than other securities.

The net operating income of the Class I railroads (the 175 carriers and 13 switching and terminal companies whose annual gross revenues exceed $1,000,000) for the first 10 months of 1928 amounted to $986,144,837 against $944,017,-103 in the same 1927 period, or at the annual rate of return of 4.73 per cent and 4.64 per cent on their property investment.

Earnings Show Strong Rise.

The increase in net operating income for November, according to statistics available, was proportionately greater than the gain in October. The year ended with a strong rising trend in earnings.

The carriers applied to the Commission for approval of the issuance of $1,871,200,314 of securities, of which $540,695,464 was stock. Part of the rise in stock sales was due to the fact that such securities were offered through "rights" to present shareholders. Competitive bidding, as insisted upon by the Commission, for railway equipment obligations proved far from profitable to investors. During the year the roads repaid the Government $60,022,124 on loans granted after the lifting of war-time control.

Wage levels continued upward, but the number of employes decreased. Average earnings per hour for all classes of employes in the first eight months of 1928 were 67.8 cents per hour, a gain of 1.3 cents over the same 1927 period. This amounts to an approximate wage increase of $60,000,000 a year.

Slight Decline in Taxes.

Taxes were slightly lower, but the reduction was relatively smaller than the decrease in revenues. In the first nine months of 1928, 6.3 cents of every dollar of revenue was absorbed by taxes, contrasting with 6.17 cents in the same period of 1927. The ratio of taxes to revenues, according to the Bureau of Railway Economics, during the 10-year period from 1917 to 1927 ranged between a minimum of 4.4 cents per dollar and a maximum of 6.1 cents a dollar, the trend being almost constantly upward.

Car loadings of revenue freight aggregated 42,917,925 cars during the first 43 weeks of 1928. Until the first week of September, with only five exceptions, the weekly loadings for 1928 ran consistently behind those of 1927. Then they began to run consistently ahead of 1927.

Traffic in October was $35,000 carloads heavier than in October, 1927. Traffic in November was 412,000 carloads higher than November, 1927, traffic.

Passenger Receipts Are Low.

Passenger receipts may prove to be the lowest of any year since 1909. Some of the more progressive carriers, in an attempt to meet increasing passenger competition, added fleets of motor busses, and such roads as Pennsylvania and New York Central co-operated with airplane companies.

Revenue passenger miles for the first nine months of 1928 declined 6.6 per cent under 1927. If the passenger-mile loss sustained in the first nine months continued to the end of the year—and prospects of such were excellent—passenger miles were 32 per cent below the record year of 1920, and the lowest of any year since 1920.

Lower freight and passenger revenues are reflected in the actual gross operating revenues for the first nine months of 1928 of $4,-534,000,000, a drop of $124,000,000, or 2.7 per cent below the corresponding period of 1927. This decline in revenue mirrors the decrease of more than 2 per cent in freight traffic and more than 6 per cent in passenger traffic.

Less Equipment Bought.

Capital expenditures of $500,167,-000 in the first nine months compare with $570,215,000 in the same three-quarters of 1927. The $70,-048,000 decline was brought about largely through a $29,025,000 decrease of equipment purchases, which were only $165,967,000, and a $31,023,000 drop in roadway work.

The huge capital expenditures since 1923 enabled the railroads to set up the following new records in operating efficiencies:

A most striking gain was in gross ton miles per train hour, which increased from 21,876 for the first nine months of 1927 to 23,537. This was a gain of 7.6 per cent over 1927 and 42 per cent over 1923.

Car miles per freight car day show an almost continuous increase, from 27.6 miles in 1923 to 30.7 miles in 1928.

Net tons per freight train have increased from 718 tons in 1923 to 787 tons in 1928.

Freight train speed has risen constantly from 19.8 miles per hour in 1923 to 22.9 miles in 1928.

Good Reduction in Fuel.

Fuel consumed per thousand gross ton-miles in freight service has shown progressive improvement, from 161 pounds in 1923 down to 126 pounds in 1928 for performing the same service.

Fuel consumption in the passenger car service has also shown progressive improvement, from 18.2 pounds per passenger train car-mile in 1923 down to 14.9 pounds in 1928.

Two rulings of the Interstate Commerce Commission during 1928 may prove beneficial to the carriers. A general re-examination of mail pay rates was made and a decision rendered July 10 found the then current rates to be unfair and unreasonable and established higher rates. Increased compensation was prescribed for services rendered from the dates applications were filed by the carriers, or where not filed, from July 24, 1925, the date of the commission's order of re-examination, to the date the increased rates became effective.

Change in Safety Plan.

The commission Nov. 28 announced it would not order the railroads to make further installations of automatic train-control devices or of block signals. The commission concluded it would be best for the roads to concentrate their efforts on the removal of grade crossings, track and bridge repair, and abandonment of wooden cars, all of which would accomplish more to reduce deaths attributable to railroad operation than other steps that might be taken.

Two orders have heretofore been issued by the commission on the installation of safety devices. The first was June 30, 1922, and the second, Jan. 14, 1924. These orders covered 8388 miles of road, 15,175 miles of track and 7408 locomotives. This work virtually was completed by the carriers. Installations required under the two orders, as of May 1, 1928, have been made on 8308 miles of road, 15,002 miles of track and 7345 locomotives.

Lines Continue to Build.

Railroads continued to extend the length of their present lines and build into new territory. According to the Interstate Commerce Commission's report, it approved projects for the construction of 717 miles of new line. At the same time, it allowed the abandonment of 587 miles of line which operating corporations no longer found profitable.

One large branch of enterprise under the Interstate Commerce Commission—valuation — reached virtual completion in 1928, but the findings and methods are awaiting Supreme Court approval in the pending test litigation, known as the O'Fallon case.

The O'Fallon case, termed by a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission as "the greatest lawsuit in history," concerns itself with the St. Louis & O'Fallon Railroad, located in Illinois. The road is about nine miles of main track and 12 miles of yard and siding. It runs from the coal fields to a connection with the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis at East St. Louis. It is owned by the estate of Adolphus Busch. The case is to be argued on appeal before the United States Supreme Court Jan. 2.

Hearings on 742 Cases.

Hearings on protests of tentative valuations were concluded in 742 cases, representing 211,168 miles of road, or 86.77 per cent of the total mileage of the country. Protests in 24 cases, representing 23,-691 miles of road, or 9.72 per cent of the total mileage, partly were heard by the commission in 1928.

Final value reports were issued in 715 cases, covering 79,314 miles of road, of which 423, covering 70,847 miles, were decided by the commission after hearings on protests of the tentative valuations. The 292 remaining cases, representing 8467 miles, were concluded and reported in default of protest within the statutory period of 30 days. Reports of 13 cases, with 4516 miles, now are in the process of settlement. Final valuations, therefore, have been reached in 735 cases, covering 83,830 miles, or 34.8 per cent of the total mileage.

Pending the Supreme Court's decision in the O'Fallon case, no recapture hearings were conducted by the Interstate Commerce Commission in 1928.

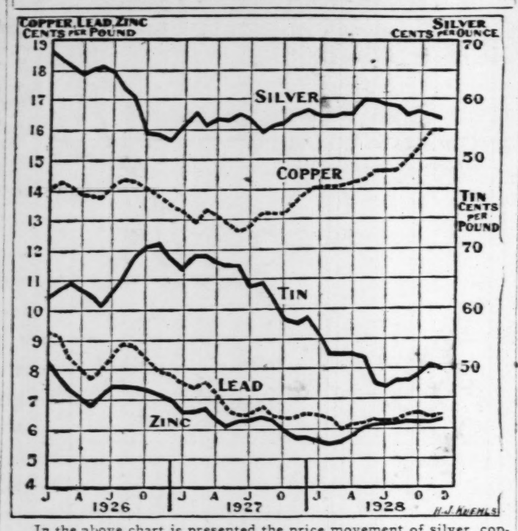
Lighting for Airports.

More than 200,000,000 kilowatt hours of electric current have been used during 1928 to light American airports and 6,000,000 more kilowatt hours to light airways, according to a study just completed by E. G. Hery for the Electrical World.

Electricity at Mt. Vernon.

Electric lights have replaced candles at Mount Vernon, once the home of George Washington.

Copper Prices Swing Upward



In the above chart is presented the price movement of silver, copper, tin, lead and zinc since the beginning of 1926.

The 1928 movement was characterized by a steady rise in copper prices and a continued decline in tin.

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PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF MOTOR STOCKS AID TO INDUSTRY

Alfred Reeves, General Manager of Automobile Chamber of Commerce, Optimistic Over 1929.

By ALFRED REEVES,
General Manager of National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—In widespread ownership the automobile industry always has found its strength.

Until recently this broad public interest has been manifested primarily in the possession of the cars themselves. Lately, however, the situation has been further improved by wide public participation in the financial affairs of the factories.

This is a healthy condition.

During the past year we have witnessed the splitting up of shares of stock by one large motor group, permitting a wider public ownership. We have likewise seen three different mergers, each involving two companies, which felt that with an enlarged financial structure and lower overhead they could manufacture more successfully.

Accordingly, 1929 opens with a feeling of settled plans in the industry and with the knowledge that the executives are operating on behalf of a vast number of the investing public.

Motor Outlook Stable.

The most stable factor of all in the automobile outlook, to be sure, is the extent of motor transportation in this country, wherein we have a registration of cars, trucks, and busses which permeates all parts of the country. Here are the motor vehicle registration totals in the United States for the last seven years: 1922, 12,238,375; 1923, 15,-092,177; 1924, 17,583,677; 1925, 19,954,247; 1926, 22,001,393; 1927, 23,127,215; 1928, 24,500,000 (estimated).

It will be noted that the registration now is double that of 1922. Forward looking economists recognized several years ago that the size of the registrations assured a permanency for the business. Modern farm marketing is predicated upon the rapid transit afforded by the motor truck. Present day suburban developments are based upon motor transportation to the rail head. So completely have we become motorized that a car for the individual is the current demand rather than a car per family. Throughout the country at large the motor is the dominant local means of transport. It is significant that 55½ per cent of the motor car registration is in communities of 10,000 or less population.

Export Business Increases.

Motor vehicles of American design purchased in countries outside of the United States amounted to more than 850,000 during the last year and are expected to approach the million mark during the coming 12 months. This means that one-sixth of the American automobile output was purchased abroad during the last year. It means that for two months out of the year the automobile factories were supplying a demand outside of the United States. Anyone who is engaged in manufacture will appreciate the significance of this aspect of motor business.

Just as powerful financial groups were originally skeptical about the profit possibilities in the automobile, so there has been a tendency for bankers to be overcautious with respect to the financing of highway bonds. There has been some fear that bond issues would keep piling up and never be liquidated. In the United States, however, while 38 per cent of highway financing was handled by bonds in 1921, only 18.6 per cent of highway building and maintenance was financed in that way in 1927.

Congestion Its Own Cure.

No country with a limited amount of motor transportation can expect to depend upon motor taxes and general taxation alone for the building of its highways during the early stages. It is sound policy to build the roads, make the taxation rate low and encourage a volume of vehicles because volume within a few years' time will provide funds which will bear an increasing share of this investment.

We have no reason to be discouraged because our avenues at the present time are virtually clogged with vehicles at certain hours of the day. The American public usually gets right to the threshold and overcomes the issue.

Motor transportation, even in in such congested areas as our biggest cities, faces an improved condition.

When an industry becomes as widespread as that of motor transportation, the question of its stability fundamentally is a question of one's belief in the prosperous future of the nation and the world at large. The fundamental structure and the management are on sound principles in this industry, and we believe that world prosperity will assure an ever growing market.

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UPTURN OF COPPER PRICES IS FEATURE OF METALS GROUP

Rise From 14 Cents to Nearly 20 Cents Most Important Thing in Year's Non-Ferrous Market.

By E. H. ROBIE.
Associate Editor Engineering and Mining Journal.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The comeback of copper was easily the most important thing that happened in the non-ferrous metal-producing industry in 1928. Not only was production much greater than it had been at any time before in the world's history, but the price rose throughout the year, averaging higher than for any year since 1920.

The action of copper has been so favorable, especially in the last half of the year, that a general idea has sprung up that all of the non-ferrous metals have been booming, whereas, in truth, the prices of lead, zinc and tin averaged lower in 1928 than in 1927. This did not mean decreased activity among the producers, however, for world zinc, silver and tin production set new records for all time, and it is probable that lead production throughout the world fell little, if any, below the record figure of 1927.

Copper is not only the most important non-ferrous metal but, as already remarked, was the most interesting from the economic standpoint in the last year. A year ago copper was selling for 14 cents a pound after a marked rise, and producers were hoping, without too much confidence, that 1928 would see a 15-cent market. But no one anticipated how great would be the expansion in demand during the year, as exemplified by the fact that world production, to meet this demand, was 30 per cent greater in November of 1928 than it had been 12 months before.

Doubts Further Advance.

Consumers were so avid for the metal in the fall that the market threatened to get out of hand; prices advanced from 14¾ cents to 16 cents in three months, and had it not been for the closer association of the producers it is probable that a 20-cent market, at least, would have been seen. But a strong effort has been made at stabilization of the market, and it now seems unlikely that much if any further advance will be seen in the near future, as production has been sufficiently expanded to meet any reasonable requirement.

Even though consumption at present should prove unable to take care of all the increase in production, there is not likely to be any curtailment for a time, as larger stocks would seem to be advisable.

Should industrial conditions slump toward the end of 1929, copper may recede to 15 cents, but it is almost certain that production would be cut to accord with demand if the price threatened to go below that figure. So prosperity for copper producers is indicated in the year to come.

Data for Last Five Years.

United States and world production data for the last five years follow, based on American Bureau of Metal Statistics compilations, as are the other data in this article. Statistics for 1928 include my estimate for December.

Year	United States production tons	World production tons
1924	819,000	1,527,000
1925	854,000	1,587,000
1926	878,000	1,631,000
1927	847,000	1,573,000
1928	1,060,000	1,910,000

One naturally asks, why this sudden increase in demand? The following table shows that we do not need to look across the ocean for the reason:

AVERAGE MONTHLY DOMESTIC AND EXPORT SHIPMENTS IN TONS.

	1926	1927	*1928
Domestic	75,181	68,737	83,700
Export	43,822	53,489	56,200

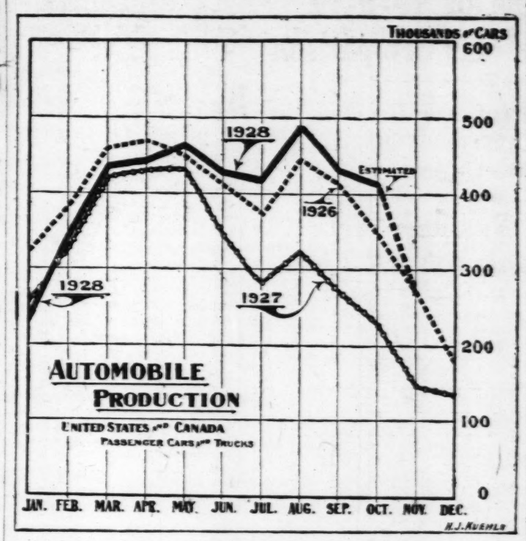
*Estimated.

In 1927, it will be noted, the improved demand came from abroad, but in the year just closed the foreign demand showed only a normal increase, and it was the domestic market that expanded.

Generates Steam With Electricity.

Experiments in the generation of steam from high voltage electric current, which may make possible the utilization of the surplus energy of waterfalls are being carried on under the auspices of the Swedish Institute of Industrial and Engineering Research, according to reports from Stockholm.

Autumn Motor Output Was High



In sharp contrast to both 1926 and 1927 the production of automobiles in the United States and Canada held on a high level throughout the fall of 1928.

While this was due in part to a sustained demand for cars from all quarters it also reflected the return of Henry Ford to production.

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GROUP BUYING FACTOR IN TEXTILE INDUSTRY

U. S. Official Says Trade Must Face Problem Chain Stores Present.

By EDWARD T. PICKFORD,
Chief Textile Division, Department of Commerce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—It is my purpose to refer briefly to a few significant developments relating to the cotton textile industry during the year 1928 which hold some promise for 1929.

In the first place, those analysts in the trade who a year ago estimated that our production of cotton piece goods during 1927 would be approximately 9,000,000,000 square yards were no doubt reasonably correct. The census production figures for that year are not available even yet, but the fact that for so many months during 1928 the condition in the industry was inordinately unsatisfactory and that the accumulated stocks depressed prices and stagnated buying is sufficient evidence of a very large overproduction in 1927.

Fortunately the trade depression and abnormal condition of this surplus production seems to have been worked off, and during the last two or three months there has been distinct evidence of general improvement. Orders increased and stocks decreased. Efficiency in production and distribution is improving and manufacturers are recognizing, as never before, the huge waste consequent to uneconomic overproduction, unprofitable prices and disinclination to exchange proper and valuable information.

Export Quality Improves.

Exports of cotton piece goods in 1928, while perhaps slightly less in yardage than 1927, have increased in total value. Failure to improve our yardage exports in 1928 cannot be charged to delinquencies on the part of our manufacturers or merchants, for the same situation has applied generally speaking, throughout the world. The result of real interest in our cotton piece goods exports during 1928 was that the quality of goods going abroad improved. Not so many years ago the bulk of our exports was in plain staple goods, whereas now the outward flow of unbleached staples is diminishing, while the greatest advances have been made in colored and fancy goods.

General conditions throughout the world appear to have improved in recent months and the prospects for a better export business during 929 are favorable.

One development during recent years which has gained further impetus during 1928 has been what some people call the phenomena of group buying and selling. Syndicate buying, mail order houses, chain store groups and similar developments are not new. However, the growth of the general idea and the application of it in new fields is something which our textile manufacturers and merchants must study.

Group Buying Development.

Just two of the new developments or phases of this group buying or merchandising idea will serve to illustrate the developments in that direction during 1928.

They are the formation of corporations for group buying of textile merchandise for the use of garment manufacturers and the launching of a huge department store chain enterprise. Textile manufacturers and merchants may, perhaps, regard such developments with some apprehension, for they are, of course, in direct contravention of older methods of doing business but their only course is to recognize the movement and attempt to revise their own methods of production and distribution to meet further developments in that direction.

One other development distinctly pronounced in 1928 which ought to be of great benefit to the industry in the future has been the meeting of groups representing the different branches of the textile industry to discuss problems of mutual concern. There must be some 75 or 100 distinct branches of the textile industry or affiliated interests and on several important matters the interested groups have got together to discuss ways and means of procedure. The results of these informal conferences have been so satisfactory that we may look for a further extension of the practice.

All in all, an appraisal of the general situation at the turn of the year indicates prospects for decided improvement.

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Coal a Curiosity in 1808.

Coal was first used in New York State in 1808, 120 years ago. It was imported from Pennsylvania and was looked upon as a curiosity rather than as a fuel.

SLOAN PREDICTS NEW HIGH RECORD IN MOTOR OUTPUT

Says Sales Last Year Were Restricted by Production in Low-Priced Field.

By ALFRED P. SLOAN JR.,
President General Motors Corporation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—My viewpoint so far as 1929 is concerned is necessarily predicated upon what I believe to be a fact; viz., that there is nothing except soundness in the general economic and industrial situation; therefore, I see no reason why we should not continue to progress and enjoy excellent business and a generous measure of prosperity.

It is quite generally understood I believe, that the automotive industry is an important factor in contributing to our industrial activity and I am certain we can rest assured that this particular industry will do its share in that direction in the forthcoming year. This means, expressed otherwise, that I believe the production of motor cars will reach a satisfactory total. As a matter of fact, I look forward to a new record being established.

I reach this conclusion because I believe that this statistical position of the automotive industry indicates that sales during 1928 were limited by lack of production in the low price field, which means that we will carry forward a certain amount of business into 1929 which will, of course, be in addition to the normal trend.

The normal trend will call for increased production due to the increased replacement demand over previous years plus increased demand from overseas markets which are expanding very rapidly, plus a reasonable amount of natural growth, all of which should swell the total to a point where I believe a new record for production will be established.

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LIVESTOCK

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Hog Supplies at Four Million Mark Showed Substantial Increase Over 1927—Fewer Cattle Arrive on Market.

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS

CATTLE AND CALVES.

*1928.	1927.	Inc.	Dec.
1,365,500	1,486,292	.....	121,092

HOGS.

*1928.	1927.	Inc.	Dec.
4,042,425	3,710,104	319,931	.....

SHEEP.

*1928.	1927.	Inc.	Dec.
340,260	374,086	.....	65,952

HORSES AND MULES.

*1928.	1927.	Inc.	Dec.
68,543	68,871	19	.....

TOTALS.

*1928.	1927.	Inc.	Dec.
5,816,727	5,801,794	112,820	.....

*Last two days of year estimated.

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Steer Top in September.

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Prices, with a few exceptions, moved upward, reaching their peak for the year in September when best steers here scored $17.75 per cwt., the highest in several years outside of special Christmas beeves. From September on values were under pressure and closed about $1 to $2 under the high time.

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Ontario revenue collected during November totaled $25,659,497, an increase of nearly $750,000 over November 1927, according to the Department of Finance. Customs duties amounted to $14,874,419; excise duties $5,779,206, and excise sales $7,621,885. Postoffice receipts were $2,427,974. With the exception of excise taxes, which were $9,466,937 in November, 1927, the other items show an increase.

REVENUE

SLOAN PREDICTS NEW HIGH RECORD IN MOTOR OUTPUT

Says Sales Last Year Were Restricted by Production in Low-Priced Field.

By ALFRED P. SLOAN JR., President General Motors Corporation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—My viewpoint so far as 1929 is concerned is necessarily predicated upon what I believe to be a fact; viz., that there is nothing except soundness in the general economic and industrial situation; therefore, I see no reason why we should not continue to progress and enjoy excellent business and a generous measure of prosperity.

It is quite generally understood, I believe, that the automotive industry is an important factor in contributing to our industrial activity and I am certain we can rest assured that this particular industry will do its share in that direction in the forthcoming year. This means, expressed otherwise, that I believe the production of motor cars will reach a satisfactory total. As a matter of fact, I look forward to a new record being established.

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URGES SINGLE MANAGEMENT FOR ALL TRAFFIC MEANS

Electric Railway Director Declares Trains, Busses and Cabs Should Be Merged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Improvements in the local transportation situation throughout the United States are being made gradually, according to Lucius S. Storrs, managing director of the American Electric Railway Association. The best minds in the transportation business today insist that operation of all forms of local transportation, including rail cars, busses and even taxicabs, must be under single managements in respective communities, and progress is being made toward this end, he said.

Although usually regarded as a street-car organization, the American Electric Railway Association is composed of some 400 companies supplying co-ordinated local service to different communities. They are operating 75,000 electric rail cars, about 10,000 busses and, in a few instances, taxicabs. There will be little change in the number of rail cars and busses in 1929. There may be a slightly larger increase in busses operated than in the number of rail cars, but it will not be great.

During the last year there has been no great change in our industry, except the gradual growth toward co-ordination.

UNFAVORABLE YEAR FOR MUNICIPAL BONDS

Pace of Municipal Borrowing Slows Up as Result of Conditions.

By SAUNDERS SHANKS, Editor of the Bond Buyer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—From the standpoint of either the investor, the bond dealer or the borrowing municipality, the year 1928 was an unfavorable one for municipal bonds. The early weeks of the year saw the highest prices in about 20 years. Bond dealers enthusiastically underwrote approximately $500,000,000 new bonds at this level. The downward trend of prices overtook them long before distribution had been completed.

As the bond market continued in a depressed condition throughout the balance of the year, the dealers were compelled to readjust prices and distribute an abnormally large inventory at prices representing, in some cases, very severe losses.

This condition, likewise, has meant that many investors made commitments at prices which now appear to have been unwarrantably high and so far as the borrowing municipality is concerned, it has meant that the interest cost on long-term loans for necessary public works has increased from one-quarter to one-half of 1 per cent and on short-term paper even more.

The actual decline of the municipal market, as indicated by price index based on the bonds of 20 large cities, has been about four points on a 20-year maturity.

Municipal Borrowing Declines.

As a result of unfavorable market conditions, the pace of municipal borrowing has been slowed up. For 11 months of the year new issues aggregated approximately $1,275,000,000, as compared with $1,477,000,000 for the full year 1927. It is not expected that borrowings in December will add enough to the 1928 figure to equal the record total of last year. The difference, however, is remarkably small and indicates that municipalities are not to any great extent discouraged in their borrowing operations by a sharp drop in the market value of their bonds.

Widespread public participation in the stock market has seriously hurt the market for high grade investment securities, such as municipal bonds. When even the depositors in mutual savings banks withdraw their hard-earned savings in order to "take a flyer" on the curb, the banks obviously cease to buy bonds and probably turn sellers. But this cannot go on indefinitely.

We are told by the most competent authorities on the subject that billions of dollars in ongoing to wealthy individuals, trust funds, financial institutions of various kinds and last but by no means least, large business corporations have been loaned out or call attracted by high interest rates; and that it is this money, largely, that has made possible the great bull market for stocks. Ordinarily, most of this money would be invested in bonds—United States Governments, State and municipals, calls, etc. Must it not eventually find its way back into those types of conservative securities?

If, on the other hand, the bull marvance and activity in stock trading is maintained it will only because the prosperity of the country continues to justify that type of stock market and that means a tremendous piling up of earned surplus wealth which must find an investment outlet.

Surpluses May Return to Bonds.

If on the other hand, the bull market for stocks has run course; if the next few years are going to witness a reduced volume of stock trading, lessening public interest, declining prices and a collapse in call money rates, what is to become of the billions of dollars now loaned in the call money market?

WAGNER ELECTRIC IS ACTIVE AND HIGHER

Sales of "New" Issue Represent Third of Week's Business.

Wagner Electric new stock, being traded in on a "when issued" basis, was the leader on the St. Louis Stock Exchange during the last week, transactions in the stock aggregating about a third of the week's total business on the exchange. The price ranged between 39 and 41½. More than 1200 sales of the old stock changed hands, a new top for the year of 163 being recorded.

The turnover of 3300 shares of Hydraulic Brick common was made up largely of large lots, one of 2000 shares and other of 1000 shares. More than half of the Consolidated lead sales were "crossed."

National Candy sales were fairly large on range of more than two points. Hamilton-Brown was better. National Bank of Commerce gained at the week-end session.

In the following table will be found a list of transactions on the Exchange Saturday:

SECURITY	Sales	High.	Low.	Close	Chge.
Bk of Com	242	172½	171	172½	*1½
Bentley pf	10	47	47	47	—
Boyd Welsh	50	42½	42½	42½	— ½
Brown pfd	7	118	118	118	—
Brown com	70	45	45	45	—
Consol Lead	235	11½	11	11	— ½
ElyW 2d pf	10	80½	80½	80½	*1½
1st Nat Bk	20	345	30	345	4
Ham Brown	225	17½	18	18	*1
Hussmann	15	24	24	24	— ¼
Int Shoe	80	75	74¾	75	*1
Laclede Stl	5	385	380	380	—
Mercan Trst	5	575	575	575	—
Mo Pri Cem	21	42¾	42	42¾	— ¾
Moloney EA	25	55	55	55	— ½
Ry & Ld com	75	20	20	20	—
Pedigo Weh	100	33	33	33	—
Rice Stix	75	23½	23½	23½	—
Rice S 2d p	26	98	96	96	— 2
Scullin Stl	100	34½	34½	34½	— ½
Stix B & F	400	38	37¾	38	*1½
St. Louis car	50	85	85	85	—
St L P com	200	50	50	50	—
Wagner El	1100	160	160	162	— 2
Wag E pf p	34	102½	108	102½	*8
Wag E new	1212	41½	40½	41	*1½
Mahon Tr pf	5	94	94	94	—
Scullin Corp	41	100½	100½	100½	— ½
Un Rv & Im	31	80½	80½	80½	— ½

x000 omitted.

PAOLINO GERLI CALLS RAW SILK EXCHANGE BIG ADVANCE IN TRADE

Organized in September it Has Shown Power for Helpfulness, President States.

By PAOLINO GERLI, President National Raw Silk Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The silk industry closes the year 1928 without recording events of a startling nature, such as have in past years shaken some of its branches. Fashion has continued to favor its product, thus insuring wide and large distribution. Raw silk prices have fluctuated within a reasonable level due to a well-balanced supply and demand position. Consequently prices of finished materials in broad silk and hosiery have been stable and on a basis to insure their popularity.

Events of note were the focusing of attention upon the standardization of raw silk quality, through the visit to Japan of a technical committee of American inspectors, with the result that the Japanese are to return this visit to discuss the subject.

Perhaps the most important event on the constructive side was the opening in September of the National Raw Silk Exchange for trading in futures. The exchange in the short space of its existence has already shown the beneficial effects which can flow to the trade from it. Among them may be listed the following:

It has given silk a long delayed recognition among the great commodities which go to create the industrial life of the country.

It has created a recognized price basis with all its reflections of trade sentiment which is daily broadcasted throughout the world.

It has brought to the trade daily statistical information of great value.

It has furnished the industry with a vital medium that can insure it against the excesses of the past.

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Chain Stores to Consolidate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Sherman Corporation, engineers and business managers, announced that the 10-dollar stores operating a chain of 212 five to a dollar stores in Eastern and Central States had consolidated with Green Stores, Inc., a Boston chain operating 51 stores in New England and other parts of the country.

W. W. McLellan is to be chairman of the board of the new combination and Harold D. Ettinger, president. Retirance of the executive personnel is to be selected from among the present officers of the two organizations.

Frisco Railway Report.

A surplus of $950,826.53 after all charges were deducted for the month of November, 1928, is shown in the report of the comptroller of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co. It was an increase in surplus of $250,748.56 over November a year ago.

The surplus for the 11 months ending Nov. 30 was $7,558,185.53, an increase of $758,411.52 over the same period a year ago. The net railway operating income for November was $1,864,240.63, a decrease of $22,997.69 over November, 1927. The net railway operating income for the first 11 months of 1928 was $19,044,662.14, a decrease of $1,101,038.38 against the same period of 1927.

Pillsbury Flour Calls Preferred.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Pillsbury Flour Mills, Inc., of Minneapolis, today called for redemption Feb. 28 at $110 plus accrued dividends, all outstanding 6% per cent cumulative convertible preferred stock. Stockholders may convert their shares into common stock on or before the redemption date on basis of 2½ common shares for one preferred share. The company has $6,000,000 of preferred outstanding and 400,000 shares of no par common.

New York Clearings.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The weekly statement of the New York Clearing House Association shows: Total surplus and undivided profits unchanged. Net demand deposits (average) $46,597,000, increase. Time deposits (average) $8,779,000, increase. Clearings, week ended Dec. 29, $2,212,113,945. Clearings, week ended Dec. 22, $2,020,735,059. Clearings, this day, $1,887,924,815.

PRICES ARE MIXED ON CURB MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Mixed price movements today on curb market reflected the heavy week-end replacement of speculative accounts. The main tendency was toward upward, however, with about a score issues touching new high records for the year or longer.

Public utilities led the list with the Ford issues after their recent stock dividend. Lord Limited sold down to a point 18 as against a year high of 23¼. Dominion Bank of Canada closed a point lower at 458 after fluctuating between 460 and 454. Auburn Auto closed unchanged at 107.

Aircraft issues also yielded to selling pressure. Canadian Marconi of England and Marconi International all closed a point or two. Spanish & General, a subsidiary, improved fractionally.

Closed was the strip are shares with Bellanca, Boeing preferred and Fairchild in the forefront of the advance. Among the many individuals of interest were high ground during the day were Hamilton Stores, Goldman Sachs Trading Corporation, Shore Line Forge, Nolan Bros., Newton Steel, United Carbon, Certified Oil, Cities Service and Isaac Silver.

Public Utilities also presented several points of strength with the American Superpower, Middle West Utilities, Commonwealth & Southern, Southeastern Power and Electric Bond and Share all moving to new high levels, although the last-named lost its gain.

VARIETY CHAIN STORE CONSOLIDATION ANNOUNCED

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Consolidation of the Green Stores Co., and the Reed Stores with McLellan Stores Co. was announced today by W. W. McLellan. The new organization will operate 275 variety stores throughout the country with annual sales estimated at $26,000,000.

The consolidation, said to be the first in the variety chain store field since that of 1912, will make the McLellan Company the second largest exclusive 5-cent to $1 chain in the country. McLellan Stores, with headquarters in New York, began business in the south in 1916 and expanded through the west. Green Stores started in Maine in 1905 and has 51 stores in New York State and New England and headquarters in Boston. Reed Stores operates a chain of 50 establishments in Oklahoma, Texas and the Southwest.

Officers and directors will be selected from representatives of the McLellan and Green Stores Co. Plans are being made to open 45 new stores during 1929.

Dry Goods Market Review.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Gray cotton goods, such as print cloths and sheetings in narrow widths were a little more active. Raw silk was met with a firm trend reported in domestic trading. Trade in rayon yarns has been disturbed by reports of price war among weavers in Belfast. Wool goods factors report a sharp call for immediate deliveries on white flannels, chinchillas and other coatings for southern resort wear.

New York Sugar.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The raw sugar market was quiet today with no sales reported. Spot sugar was nominally unchanged at 5.92c. Refiners will sell sparingly showing no interest above $3.77.

Price changes in raw sugar futures were irregular today, moving mostly to the way of evening up for over the week end adjournment. January and March closed steady, covering and closing at a net advance of two points. Later deliveries were inclined to be easier under liquidation and bear selling pressure. The world market, however, after declining one to three points rallied on covering and closes two points lower to one point higher. Sales approximated 20,400 tons, January closed 1.84; March 2.00; May 2.09; July 2.15; September 2.20; December 2.25.

The market for refined was quiet with buyers inclined to limit fresh commitments owing to the easier tone of the raw market. Prices were unchanged at 5.25 for fine granulated.

Become Exchange Firm Partners.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Admission of five new partners was announced today by Hornblower & Weeks, members of the exchange Saturday. F. Dewey Everett, who entered the firm's ranks at Boston in 1919, and Edward L. Jones, who for five years has edited the firm's Market Advantages, were admitted to partnership in the New York office.

Three other new members of the firm are attached to the Chicago office. They are W. David Owen, who has been manager of the Chicago stock department since 1925; James J. Fenlon, son of a senior partner, and Henry B. Dearborn, office manager at Chicago since 1917.

The firm now has 18 partners, nine offices and holds memberships in the leading Stock Exchanges.

New York Cottonseed Oil.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The cottonseed oil market closed irregular today, ending a rather dull session, with January 1 point higher, while other months were unchanged to 4 points lower. The reaction in lard and serving commodity some liquidation and evidently offset the effect of the steadiness of cotton and hogs. Sales, 3600 barrels. Prime crude $8.50; prime summer yellow, spot $10; January closed $10.67; March $10.35; May $10.54; July $10.

ST. LOUIS STOCKS

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, Dec. 29.—Total transactions of stocks of the local board the past week amounted to 24,317 shares, compared with 24,814 a week ago. Bond sales were $31,500, compared with $51,000 last week.

Following is a complete list of securities traded in on the exchange during the past week, with dividend rates, sales, highest, lowest, closing prices and net changes. Symbols: *Increase, —Decrease, ...Unchanged.

1928 High.	1928 Low.	Stocks and Annual Div. in Dollars.	Sales	High.	Low.	Close.		Net Chge.	Bid.	Close Asked
345	320	First National Bank 12	23	345	345	345		....	345	350
400	395	Lafayette S S Bank 12	10	400	400	400		....	395	400
360	295	Merch Laclede National 12	1	360	360	360		....	340	360
226	157	Nat Bank Commerce 8	480	173½	170	170½		*1½	173½	175
200	180	State National Bank 10	66	180	180	180		....	180	190
575	553	Mercantile Trust 24	6	575	573	575		....	570	580
40	32¾	A S Aloe com 2.50	5	34½	34½	34½		....	33	....
31½	21	Bentley com 1.20	75	29	28	28½		— ½	28	....
51	45½	Bentley pref 4	133	47	47	47		....	47	....
43	38½	Boyd Welsh Shoe com 3	140	42½	42	42½		— ½	42	43
121	117	Brown Shoe pfd 7	107	118	118	118		— 2	117½	119
52	44	Bruce com 2.50	151	45	45	45		....	45	....
23¼	18	Burkart Mfg pfd 2.20	5	18	18	18		....	18	19
63¼	58	Coca Cola Bott 3	27	61½	59	59		— ¾	57½	59
17½	9	Consol Lead & Zinc	2020	12	11	11		— ½	11	12
90	72	Elder Mfg A 5	150	80¾	80	80¾		— ¼	80	82
120	110	Ely-Walker D G 1st pf 7	45	110	110	110		— 1	110	....
94	86	Ely-Walker D G 2d pfd 6	10	89½	89½	89½		— ½	88	90
16⅛	6	Fulton I Works com	395	6	6	6		— ¼	7	....
118½	111½	Globe Dem pfd 7	9	115	114	115		....	....	117
21	16	Hamilton Shoe	645	18½	17	18		*1½	18½	19
41	20	Hussman 2.50	15	24	24	24		— 1	24	....
27	20	Huttig com 1.50	15	20	20	20		....	19	21
43	19¼	Hydr Press Brick com	3317	3½	3	3		....	3	4
113	109½	Internat Shoe pfd 6	32	110	109½	110		....	109½	110
87	62	Internat Shoe com 2	1109	75	74	75		* ½	74½	75
45	34	Johansen Bros Shoe 1.50	100	39	39	39		....	39	39½
103	98	Laclede Gas Light pfd 5	10	100	100	100		....	100	101
385	180	Laclede Steel Co 8	390	380	380	380		....	380	400
50½	42	Landis Mach 3	125	47	46½	46½		....	46½	47½
27	10	Michigan Davis	478	12½	12	12½		*1½	12½	....
20	19¼	Meyer-Blanke 1.50	20	19½	19½	19½		....	....	....
26	16½	Mahoney-Ryan	215	18	17½	17½		— ½	....	20
38	33½	Mahoney El A 4	718	56	54¾	55		* ¼	55	55½
60	52½	Marathon Shoe 3.50	60	54	54	54		....	53	55
52	38	Mo Portland Cem 2	204	43½	42½	42½		....	42½	44
23½	17	National Candy com 1.75	1290	20¾	18½	20		*1½	20	20¼
45	29¾	Pedigo-Weber Shoe com 2.50	551	33	32¾	33		— ¼	32¾	33½
104	93	Rice-Stix 1st D G pf 7	100	98	98	98		— 1	98	100
22	18¾	Rice-Stix D G com 1.50	870	24	23½	23½		....	23½	23½
26	16	Scruggs-V-B. D G 2d pf 7	215	18	18	18		....	18	18½
46	31	Scullin Steel partic p	483	36	34	34½		— ½	34½	35
39	30	Securities Inv Co com 3	100	37½	37½	37½		....	....	38
20	17	Smith & Davis	100	10	10	10		....	10	20
27	17	St. Louis Screw	600	25	25	25		*1½	22½	24
37	37	Skouras Bros Co com 3	110	53	53	53		....	51	54
49	39½	Southern Acid com 3	100	44½	44½	44½		— 2½	44	45
121½	117½	Southwestern Bell pf 7	62	118½	118	118½		....	117	119
28¾	27	Stix, Baer & Fuller com 1.50	446	28	28	28		*¼	27	28
20	16	Stix B & F 1st pf 6	10	25	25	25		....	25	25
22½	19	St Louis Pub Serv	600	21	21	21		* ¼	19½	21
37	37	Wagner Elec Corp com 0	1271	163	154	162		*12½	161	163
113	79	Wagner El Cor part pd	62	110½	105	105½		*12½	103½	105½
41½	39	Wagner El new	5924	41½	39	41		....	39	41
96	94	E St Louis & Sub 5 5s	1	96	96	96		* ¼	95½	96½
85¾	80	United Railways 4s	2	80¾	80½	80½		* ¼	80	81
103	98	United Railways 4s	12	93¾	93¾	93¾		....	93¾	99
97¾	94	Mahoney El 5½s	10	94	94	94		....	93½	....
104	99¾	Nat Bearing Met 6s	2	103¾	103½	103½		— ½	103	103½
101	98½	Scullin Steel 6s	$500	99½	99½	99½		— ½	99½	100
102	100	St Louis Car 6s	1	100½	100½	100½		* ½	99½	100

(In bond sales 000 omitted.)

*Dividend rates as given in the table are in the annual cash amounts based on the latest declaration. Extra or special dividends are not included.

†Formerly Best-Cymer.

**Issues not listed.

aActual sale.

PAINT PRICES ARE MIXED ON CURB MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Mixed price movements today on curb market reflected the heavy week-end replacement of speculative accounts. The main tendency was toward upward, however, with about a score issues touching new high records for the year or longer.

Public utilities led the list with the Ford issues after their recent stock dividend. Lord Limited sold down to a point 18 as against a year high of 23¼. Dominion Bank of Canada closed a point lower at 458 after fluctuating between 460 and 454. Auburn Auto closed unchanged at 107.

Aircraft issues also yielded to selling pressure. Canadian Marconi of England and Marconi International all closed a point or two. Spanish & General, a subsidiary, improved fractionally.

Closed was the strip are shares with Bellanca, Boeing preferred and Fairchild in the forefront of the advance. Among the many individuals of interest were high ground during the day were Hamilton Stores, Goldman Sachs Trading Corporation, Shore Line Forge, Nolan Bros., Newton Steel, United Carbon, Certified Oil, Cities Service and Isaac Silver.

Public Utilities also presented several points of strength with the American Superpower, Middle West Utilities, Commonwealth & Southern, Southeastern Power and Electric Bond and Share all moving to new high levels, although the last-named lost its gain.

LIVESTOCK ELSEWHERE

CHICAGO, Dec. 29 (United States Department of Agriculture).—Hogs—60; steady; 180@200 pounds 10@15 cents higher; market 10c to 25c higher on weights over 200 pounds; heavier weights 5@10c lower; top $9 paid for 160@180 pound butchers; bulk $8.90@9.10; packing sows, smooth 250 pounds and over, $8.50@8.75; slaughter pigs 25@50c higher; bulk 100@130 pounds $8.50@9.00.

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WHEAT PRICE DOWN IN WEEK-END TRADE

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 29.—Grains closed lower on the local exchange today. Export demand was rather small. Last session of 1928, where deliveries were large exceeded influence.

On the cash grain market Saturday, soft wheat was steady. There was a large variety of quality offerings and better demand. Sound heavy test wheat was wanted by local buyers. Damaged and low grade wheat was slow. Ordinary No. 2 red sold late at $1.31. Hard wheat was down 1 and 2 cents. Market was slow for ordinary offerings. Low protein No. 1 hard was offered at $1.16 with $1.15½ bid. Track offerings light, but some movement still to arrive, with No. 1 hard offered basis 5c under Chicago May price and No. 2 hard basis 5½c under. Corn was 1@1½ cents lower. Decline was said to have been caused by declining outlook and increased offerings. Demand at the close was fair and later was a pretty good clearance. Mills, elevators and industries bought the corn. Oats were unchanged to slightly easier. Offerings were light, but the demand was only fair and supplies cleaned up.

The opening was a shade lower and fractional net loss was shown in early prices. Liverpool closed ¾@1 lower and Winnipeg was unchanged early. Corn opened unchanged, and ranged a shade under to a shade over previous close early.

May wheat opened at $1.20⅝, July $1.21⅝. May corn 62½.

Local wheat receipts which were 46,200 bushels, compared with 714,000 a week ago and 92,200 a year ago, included 42 cars local and 10 through. Corn receipts, which were 140,000 bushels, compared with 77,800 a week ago and 88,200 a year ago, included 78 cars local and 20 through. Oats receipts, which were 28,000 bushels, compared with 20,000 a week ago and 24,000 a year ago, included 10 cars local and 9 through. Hay receipts were 60 cars, local 4 and 2 through.

Stocks in St. Louis public elevators amounted to 3,488,119 bu, of which 606,000 bu. of corn and 368,897 bu. of oats. Grain stocks comprised 80,256 bu. of No. 1 red winter wheat, 427,000 bu. of No. 1 red winter wheat, 595,094 bu. of No. 1 hard winter wheat, 1,502,558 bu. of No. 2 hard winter wheat, 76,784 bu. of No. 2 red winter wheat, 16,017 bu. of No. 2 oats, 16,658 bu. of No. 2 oats, 16,658 bu. of No. 3 white oats, 200,915 bu. of No. 3 white oats.

RANGE OF PRICES.

WHEAT.

No. 2 red winter, $1.31@1.40. Garlicky at $1.25@1.23. No. 3 red winter, $1.31. Heavy garlicky at $1.12. No. 4 red winter, $1.13@1.15. No. 2 hard winter, $1.31@1.35. Hard winter, $1.15 bid. Wheverly at $1.15. No. 2 hard winter $1.15@1.14½. No. 1 Western red, $1.50. Smutty at $1.24.

CORN.

No. 2 mixed, 82½c. No. 4 mixed, 80½c. No. 2 yellow, 82½@82¾c. No. 3 yellow, 84¼@c. No. 4 yellow, 81¾c to 82c. No. 5 yellow, 75½c. No. 4 white, 82½c. No. 5 white, 79½c.

OATS.

No. 2 white, 49c. No. 3 white, 48c to 48½c. No. 4 white, 46c. No. 4 red, 46c. Sample grade, 45c.

Flour and Meal.

Flour trade was dull. A Kansas miller quoted at $5.30 in 95 per cent spring patent quoted at 55.75 jute. The only sales reported were 200 barrels sold and 400 barrels sold local mill to domestic trade on private terms.

Flour quotations, nominally new jute sacks, in 98-lb cotton notions, 50 of 95 per cent spring patent quoted at $7.20 to $7.80 on to $8.40 to $8.60 in export straights; $7.60 to $8.00 in 95 per cent family; $7.70 to $8.25; extra, fancy, $8.30 to $8.50; bakers, $4.40 to $4.75; low grades, $3.50 to $4.25; soft wheat patents, $8.00 to $8.50; straights, $7.60 to $8.00; clears, $6.50 to $7.00. Other articles unchanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 29.—Wheat receipts, 113 cars; unchanged to 2c down. No. 2 dark hard, nominally, $1.08@1.25; No. 3 dark hard, nominally, $1.06@1.25; No. 2 red, $1.07@1.10; No. 3, $1.05@1.07. No. 2 red, $1.20; No. 3, nominally, $1.18@1.19. Closing December $1.05¾; May $1.11¾. July, $1.12⅜.

Corn—Receipts 104 cars, unchanged; No. 2 white, nominally, 80@81c; No. 3, 78@78½c. No. 2 mixed, nominally, 79@80c. No. 3, 77½@78c. No. 2 yellow, nominally, 80¼@80½c. No. 3, 79@79½c. May, 85½c. July, 87½c.

Oats—Receipts 4 cars; unchanged. No. 2 white, nominally, 47@48c. No. 3, 46c. Milo maize, $1.20@1.34. Kafir, $1.21. Rye, 93@94c. Barley, 58@59c.

GRAIN, BIDS AND OFFERS

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Grain bids and offers were as follows:

	Bids.	Offers.
December wheat	109¾	....
March wheat	115⅞	116⅞
May wheat	117½	118⅝
December corn	87¼	88
March corn	87¼	88¼
May corn	90¾	91¼

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 29.—Grain bids and offers:

	Bids.	Offers.
May wheat	118⅝	120⅝
May corn	92¼	93¾

New York Coffee.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The market for coffee futures was higher today on further buying attributed to local and European trade account. No 7 contracts opened 1 to 7 points higher and sold up to 15 to 16

STOCKS MOVE STEADILY UPWARD IN FINAL WEEK OF 1928

RISE IN FACE OF SEASONAL MONEY PINCH

While Public Is Biding Time the Banks, Investment Trusts and Powerful Individual Investors Have Been Buying, Review Says.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Evening Post in copyrighted weekly financial review, says:

"In the final week of 1928 the stock market, in the face of the maximum seasonal money pinch, has moved steadily upward under the stimulus of unmistakably strong buying. While the public is biding its time, the banks, investment trusts and powerful individual investors have been busily accumulating stock. The episode resembles what took place just previous to the November election. Then the public did not come into the market actively until after the election news was out, but the event was discounted by sophisticated investors. At present the public, having freshly in mind its experience on Dec. 6, is waiting for the return of normal money conditions and the usual fireworks that accompany bull markets in full heat. Call money renewed yesterday at 12 per cent—the highest charge witnessed since Februry, 1920—but prices continued strongly upward on the faith of bankers that the year's turn will usher in distinctly easier rates.

Decline in Loans.

"No better evidence of the market's strong position can be given than the continued decline in brokers' loans, despite a persistent advance in stocks. In ordinary circumstances the market's rise in 10 days to a level within three points of the Nov. 20 peak might be expected to carry loans up. Instead, brokers' loans for three successive weeks have declined. They are now down $202,000,000 from the peak reached just previous to the early December break. Taken in conjunction with the orderly character of the market, this showing can mean but one thing—that the rise reflects purchases by those who buy outright. If the December shrinkage in loans reported by member banks is borne out in the stock exchange's monthly figures this conclusion can be accepted as final.

Future Money Trend.

"If precedent is any guide the present stringency in money rates will extend through next week since it takes time for the currency sent out in anticipation of year-end demands to drift back. In the financial district the consensus is that money will fall to a level distinctly lower in January than prevailed throughout December. Receipts of currency usually continue during the entire month of January. This means that the potent force at work for dear money in December will be at work on the side of easier money in January. While the new month will usher in its pronounced seasonal pressures for ease in the call rate it is not expected to introduce a change in fundamental conditions. These leave no doubt of the prospect for a level of money rates substantially higher than in the same month a year ago.

Question of Loans for "Others."

"It is interesting to note that with the approach of the new year virtually all of the basic indicators point to a continuation of good business in the major industries during 1929. The one exception is the credit position. Yet it will be recalled that at this time last year it likewise was the one cloud on the business horizon that conservative prophets feared. And the wave of business expansion started a year ago and has gathered force. That the fundamental credit structure is weaker than then is, of course, an admitted fact. The country has continued to expand its credit volume in the face of a narrowed credit base. Much of the confusion of the time with regard to loans springs from a lack of understanding of the real significance of growth in member bank loans for the account of "others." Perhaps the new year will give us light on the meaning of this expansion and the extent to which it has become a permanent rather than a temporary phenomenon.

PREDICTS GREAT DEVELOPMENT

Erskine Expects Foreign and Domestic Trade Expansion.

By ALBERT RUSSELL ERSKINE, President the Studebaker Corporation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—For a number of reasons, I believe the United States is about to enter upon the greatest business development of its history in both its domestic and foreign trade. The capacity of our industries was never greater; their products were never better, more diversified, more attractive or generally lower priced; they were never better financed and their sales departments were never more extensive or efficient.

Political appreciation of the importance of industry and governmental co-operation with business is about to develop on a broader, more aggressive and more effective basis under the leadership of President-elect Hoover than ever before.

SHARES SOLD

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Total sales for the week (5 days) on the New York Stock Exchange were 18,575,700 shares, compared with 16,985,800 last week. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 914,846,600 shares, compared with 575,923,500 a year ago.

WEEK'S NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

TABLE SYMBOLS

Symbols: (a) Plus extras. (b) Including extras. (d) Partly stock. (f) 5% per cent quarterly in common stock. (g) Extra 4 per cent stock. (h) Paid so far this year. (k) Payable in stock. (n) 1-40 in A. (r) Optional cash or stock. (s) Split. (x) Ex-rights. (z) Ex-dividend. (y) Ex-rights. (w) Unchanged sales (00 omitted). (x) Odd lots.

Range for 1928 High.	Low.	Stocks and Annual Dividends in Dollars.	Sales for Wk.	High for Week.	Low for Week.	Close for Week.	Ch'ge. for Week.
85	56½	Abitibi P & P	93	43	39	40⅜	+1¼
102⅛	76	Abit P & P pf 6	14	85¼	83⅞	84½	—1⅜
174	90	Abraham & Str	27	124	104	121	+17
124½	109	Abrah & S pf 7	x140	119	119	120	+1
425	195	Adams Express 6	5	209	209½	209½	—8½
65	11	Advance Rumely	185	48	38¾	47⅞	+6⅛
69⅝	34⅜	Adv Rumely pfd	51	56⅞	53½	56	+5⅜
53½	30½	Adams Mills 50b	30	53½	52⅝	52⅝	—
54	2¾	Ahumada Lead	107	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	—
98⅝	59	Air Reduct 3b	316	98⅝	88¼	93½	+6⅝
14⅝	7½	Ajax Rubber	287	10⅝	9½	10⅜	+ ⅜
10½	8	Alaska Jun Gold	131	8⅝	8	8	—
31¾	23½	Alb Perf W P 2	16	25	22⅜	22⅜	— ⅝
85	53	Al Realty 3b	x80	85	85	85	—
252⅝	146	A Chem & D 6	177	252⅝	241⅛	247	+4⅛
125½	120	A Ch & Dye pf 7	1	125½	125½	125½	—
200	115⅝	Al Chalm Mf 7	131	200	194	196	+32⅜
16⅞	9⅛	Amalgamated Lea	6	10¾	10½	10⅜	—⅛
99	69	Amalg Lea pfd	1	73½	73½	73½	—
43⅞	17⅝	Amerada Corp 2	116	37⅝	37½	37½	—
26	15⅝	Am Agr Chemic	64	22⅝	20⅝	20⅝	+ ⅝
79⅞	55⅝	Am Ag Ch pfd	63	72⅝	68	72	+4⅛
159½	74⅜	Am Bk Note 3b	7	129½	124	125	—
60	44	Am Bk Note pf 3	x270	61	60	60	— ⅛
24½	14⅜	Am Beet Sugar	31	18½	16¼	16½	+ ⅜
63	20	Am Beet Sug pf	1	50	50	50	+ ⅝
56⅝	44	Am Bosch Mag	119	42⅜	39⅝	41⅝	—1⅜
114	107	Am Chicle pr pf 7	x110	109½	109½	109½	—
15½	10½	Am Drug Synd .60b	130	11½	10½	11½	+ ⅛
86	58	Am Encaustic 3	40	84½	80½	82	—
310	169	Am Express 6	9	293½	288	288	—
83	22⅝	Am & For Power	337	83	70½	82	—12
110	104⅝	Am & F P pfd 7	11	106⅝	105½	105⅝	—
110	84	Am&For P 2d pf 7	13	108	108	108	—
115	93	Am & For Pr 6b	x70	100	100	100	—
8	3	Am Hide & Leath	3	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	—
67⅝	31	AmHide&Leath pfd	10	38⅝	37⅝	37⅝	— ⅛
60	28	Am Home Prod	20	58	55	56	—
46⅝	28	Am Ice 2.50b	730	42½	40⅝	41⅝	—
59½	90	Am Ice pfd 6	2	95	94	95	— ½
150	71	Am Internati Corp	2207	150	141½	143½	— 3⅜
15⅝	5¾	Am Int Fire E	15	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	—
192	56⅜	Am Linseed	1	186⅝	186⅝	186⅝	+21⅝
115	87	Am Locomotive	8	244	108½	109½	+43⅛
134	123¼	Am Loco pfd 7	1	125½	124½	124½	—
180	129½	Am Mach Fdry 3	1	147	147	147	—
63¾	39	Am Metal Co 3	31	63½	57½	61¼	+4
117⅝	109	Am Metal Co pf 6	8	116	115⅝	115⅝	— ⅜
19	13⅜	Am Piano	4	14¾	14	14	— ⅛
90	39	Am Piano pfd	x310	40⅜	39	39	— ⅜
95	62¼	Am Pow & Lt 1a	168	82¾	77½	82	+3
107½	100⅜	Am Po & Lt pf 6	11	101	100½	100⅝	—
192½	130⅜	Am Radiator 5	5	192	190½	187	—3½
52	30	Am Rat San Pf	x220	52	52	52	—
152	141	Am Radiator pfd	7	x150	142	142½	—1¾
149⅝	110⅜	Am Railway Exp 6	9	154	132	132	—1¾
85	51¾	Am Republics	13	65⅜	58	62⅝	+3⅜
98	56	Am Safety Raz .50	95	67⅝	66	67⅛	—
86⅜	81½	Am Pow&Lt pf 5	26	82⅝	82	82	—
77½	70⅜	Am Pow&Lt pf A	4	71½	70½	71½	—
45	27⅜	Am Seating 3	25	34¼	34	34⅛	— ⅜
3	3	Am Ship & Com	20	3	3	3	—
119	80	Am Ship S	x130	93	87	89½	—
292½	190	Am Smelt & R 8	115	292½	270	292½	+22
98⅝	90	Am Smelt new	3	96	96	96	—
142	131	Am Sm & R p 7	1	138⅝	138⅝	138⅝	—2
210	141	Am Snuff 14b	1	203	203	203	—
70⅝	50	Am Steel Fdrs 3	149	67½	61⅝	67	+4⅛
113	100	Am Stl Fd pf 7	x70	111½	110½	110½	—
93⅞	53	Am Sugar Refin	261	87¼	83½	87	+4⅛
110½	100	Am Sugar Ref p 7	2	100½	100	100	—
73⅜	48	Am Sum Tob 3a	37	56⅝	54	55½	+6⅝
111	77	Am Tel & Tel 9	1	177	177	177	—
211	175	Am T & Tel 9	146	192⅜	189½	191½	+1⅝
184⅝	153	Am Tobacco 8	3	217⅝	217	217	—
126	115⅜	Am Tobacco pf 6	2	126	126	126	—
154½	135	Am Tobacco B 8	2	217⅝	217	217	—
142⅛	104⅝	Am Type Fdrs 8	2	127	127	127	—1
79⅛	58	A W W & El n 1a	43	69⅞	68	68⅝	—
106	78	AWW&El pf 6	1	93	93	93	—
32⅝	14	Am Woolen	100	29½	28	28⅝	—
65⅜	29	Am Woolen pfd	29	61½	57⅜	58	—1⅝
119	101⅜	Am Writ P 6 pfd	4	115	115	115	—
42	21⅝	Am Writ P 6 n pfd	41	43	42	42	—
57	6⅜	Am Z L & Smelt	352	44⅜	42⅝	42⅝	—
117⅜	40	A Zinc & Sm pf	33	106⅜	104⅜	104⅜	—
56	36⅜	Amer Com Alcohol	332	57⅝	55⅜	55⅜	—1⅝
56	56⅜	Andes Min 75	514	52⅝	48⅝	52½	—
57⅞	48	Anchor Cap	66	52⅞	48⅝	48⅝	—
109⅝	106⅜	Anchor Cap pf	2	108	106½	108	—
103⅝	75⅜	Archer-Dan-Mid 3	22	97⅜	95⅜	97⅜	+1⅜
115½	112⅜	Arch-Dan-M pf 7	x230	115	113½	114	—
97½	86⅜	Armour Co D p 7	9	92	90¾	91½	—
22½	11⅜	Armour Co pf A	4	13⅝	13	13⅛	—
91½	67⅜	Armour Co ill pf 7	8	81⅝	81	81½	—
41⅜	35⅜	Arnold C Corp	47	40⅜	39	39⅜	—
45	29	Artloom Corp 3	4	39	39	39	—
114	99	Artloom C Corp pf	x160	102	100½	101½	—
34⅜	25½	Art Metal C 1.50	2	29½	29½	29½	—
45⅜	40⅛	Asso D G 2.50	307	60½	57½	60	+1⅝
119½	100½	Asso D G 2d pfd	1	107	107	107	—
53⅜	37⅛	Asso Oil 2	x340	44	42	43	—
204	182⅝	A T & S F 10	125	197⅜	194	195⅞	—
108½	102⅛	A T & S F pf 5	1	104	103½	103½	—
37⅛	25⅞	Atlantic Ref	54	31⅝	30⅝	31⅛	—
191½	157⅛	Atl Coast L 10b	2	261	261	165⅜	+1⅝
59⅜	37⅜	Atl Gulf & W I	40	42⅝	40	42	—
63½	28	A G & W I pf 5	23	56⅝	54⅜	54⅜	—
148	114½	Atl Refining 4	307	150	144	144	—3
114	93	Atl Refin pfd 7	2	120	117½	119½	—
114	63	Atlas Powder 4	2	110	104	103⅜	—
121½	82	Atlas Powd pf 6	4	104½	104	104	—
78	58	Atlas Tack	6	68⅛	66	66	—
9¾	4	Austin Nichols C	2	6	6	6	—
39	25	Austn Nich pf	4	34	31	34	—
57	38	Auto Acces 1.40	10	51	51	51	—
34⅜	6½	Auto Sales Corp	22	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	—
47	26	Auto Strop A	2	33	33	33	—
57	43	Av Mach 3	3	44	42	44	—
385	225	**Baldwin Loco 7**	6	259	55	250	
124⅛	115	Baldwin Loco pf	7	x190	118½	118½	—
125⅜	102⅜	Baltim & Ohio 6	3	120	121	117⅜	—
82	77	Balt & Oh pfd 4	1	79½	79½	79½	—
111⅞	107	Bamberger 6.50	1	x110	110	110	—
84⅛	61	Bang & Aroos 3.50	13	65	65⅜	66	—
115⅜	104	Bang & Ar pf 7	x10	105	105	105	—
39⅝	24⅜	Barker Bros	14	30½	29¾	29¾	—
101⅝	94½	Barker Bros pf 5.50	2	96	96	96	—
53	23⅞	Barnet Leather	84	26⅛	24⅝	24⅝	—
53	20	Barnsdall C A 2	863	41⅜	38⅝	40⅜	—
350	200	Bank Com 20b	x200	770	770	770	—10
1401	98	Bank Manhat 5	2	148	148	148	—
119⅝	104	Bank C List p 7	x180	106⅛	106	106	—
101½	94½	Bankers Tr pf 3	20	98	98	98	—
23½	22⅜

OF 1928

WEEK-END STOCK TRADE IS LARGE; CLOSE IS MIXED

Heavy Readjustment of Speculative Accounts Turn Course of Prices Irregular After Outburst of Strength.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

	20 Industrials.	20 Railroads.
Saturday	256.03	155.56
Previous day	254.82	154.82
Week ago	247.54	153.38
Year ago	187.17	146.86
High, 1928	257.33	157.69
Low, 1928	178.84	138.26

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Extensive heavy week-end readjustment of speculative accounts turned the course of prices irregular in today's market after an early outburst of strength had carried more than a score issues to new high records. Although many of the popular industrials closed 1 to 4 points lower, final quotations also disclosed a long list of net gains, some of which ran from 3 to 13½ points.

Trading was unusually heavy for a half holiday session, total sales aggregating 2,683,300 shares. So swift was the inrush of orders that the ticker fell half an hour behind the market in the last hour, the usual last minute rush delaying the printing of the final quotation until 52 minutes after the closing gong had sounded.

No Call Money Market.

There was no call money market today, as Friday's rate always carries over until Monday. It would not be surprising in banking circles if call money turned easier on Monday, because Tuesday being a holiday, banks will not be required to make their semi-weekly adjustments at the Federal Reserve Bank until Wednesday. Continued firmness of time money is a source of concern in many banking and speculative quarters.

Further advances in copper and brass prices, the former now being quoted at 16½ cents a pound for domestic delivery, were the only important trade developments of the day. Another series of annual reviews and forecasts made their appearance, and most of them were optimistic in character.

American Smelting Soars.

American Smelting was one of the spectacular features of the day's trading, soaring 13½ points to a new high record at 292½. Cerro de Pasco advanced 1⅝ points, and Anaconda and Chile improved fractionally, but Kennecott and Greene Cananea yielded 2 and 2⅞ points, respectively.

General Electric touched another new high record at 221, and then eased to 218⅝, up ⅝. Among the many other industrial issues to sell at new peak prices were Savage Arms, Chicago Pneumatic Tool, Mohawk Carpet, Spicer Manufacturing American and Foreign Power, Electric Power and Light, Johns Manville, General American Tank, St. Joseph Lead, Youngstown Sheet and Tube, and Safeway Stores.

Selling for the purpose of establishing income tax losses was practically negligible, although this was the last day in which such sales could be cleared in the ordinary manner. Any "tax selling" on Monday must be for cash, as ordinary transactions that day will not be cleared until the first business day of the new year.

C. & O. to New High.

Selling pressure in today's market was particularly effective against Case Threshing, which broke 8 points, and Allied Chemical, Goodyear and Vanadium Steel, off 4 to 5½ points. General Motors, Montgomery-Ward, Radio, American Can and Sears-Roebuck declined 1 to 4 points.

Establishment of new high records by Chesapeake & Ohio and New Haven featured the trading in railroad shares. Union Pacific also stood out with a gain of 4 points.

Foreign exchange trading was quiet, with fluctuations narrow and irregular. Sterling cables ruled slightly lower, around $4.85⅛.

FINANCIAL NOTES

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

A. G. Spalding & Bros. ended the year on Oct. 31 with net profit of $1,842,447 compared to $1,333,300 in preceding year.

November net of Canadian Pacific Railroad totaled $7,500,149 against $6,375,793 in November, 1927.

Baldwin Locomotive Works in 1928 shipped 377 locomotives, against 615 in 1927. Of this year's total 281 were steam, 92 electric and four gasoline, while 1927 shipments consisted of 486 steam, 163 electric and four gasoline locomotives.

Missouri Pacific Railroad has ordered 25 eight-wheel steam engines from Lima Locomotive Works, Inc., of Lima, O.

Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., of Pittsburg, is to spend $6,000,000 on a plant at Crystal City, Mo., for installation of machinery for a new glass making process.

All producers are asking 16¼ cents a pound for copper delivered to end of April, an advance of ¼ cent.

American Power & Light Co., which operates utilities in the West and South west, earned $4.64 a share on 1,960,194 common shares in the year ended Sept. 30, against $4.86 a share on 1,534,922 shares in the preceding year.

Chile Copper Co., controlled by Anaconda Copper Mining Co., ended the first nine months of the year with a net profit of $13,826,336, equal to $3.13 a share on 4,415,508 shares. This compares with $8,367,977, or $1.89 a share, in first nine months of 1927.

Associated Gas & Electric System reports net earnings of $8,014,577 for the past 11 months, against $5,770,333 in the first 11 months of 1927.

Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville Railroad had net operating income of $188,944 in November, against $103,783 in November, 1927.

New York Steel.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Steel unchanged.

SLIGHT APPRECIATION IN SECURITIES LIKE PREVIOUS YEAR'S

Quiet Buying Proceeding in Iron, Coal and Steel Shares, Suggesting Hopes for Better Things.

By ARTHUR W. KIDDY.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Developments in the work of the Reparations Commission suggest that the reparations settlement may constitute the most important feature of the year, especially if it should take the form of any kind of mobilization of German securities for marketing at various centers.

The year is closing with some quietly good features, notably among which, so far as England is concerned, is the slight improvement of the industrial outlook following the mergers already accomplished and others impending.

Quiet buying is proceeding in iron, coal and steel shares, suggestive of hopes for better things. It is believed also that the cotton mills may have passed through the worst of their troubles.

Derating Scheme Favorable Point.

A further favorable point for the new year is that the Government's new derating scheme should begin to affect favorably all depressed industries, while the home railways also may be helped by the new powers to compete with motor traffic.

It is not believed, nevertheless, that industrial recovery will be sufficiently marked to affect materially the financial activities, at all events during the early part of the year.

For 1928 the appreciation in public securities corresponded closely with the previous year. The representative list of 365 stocks selected by the "Bankers' Magazine" shows an aggregate rise for the year of about £258,000,000 against £268,000,000 in the previous year. Of this gain just over 1 per cent in high-class fixed interest stocks and more than 8 per cent in variable dividend and more speculative descriptions.

This percentage movement was also similar to that of 1927. New capital creations will easily exceed the totals for previous years, while it is expected that figures for daily clearings of London banks will exceed all previous records.

Money Prospects Obscure.

The chief point of uncertainty in the new year outlook is the monetary prospects, which are very obscure.

If the gold drain continues in England and extends into January one or two things may happen, either the bank rate must rise or the fiduciary limit must be increased. The former is the more probable. Either course would doubtless be taken with extreme reluctance.

Considerable interest is being taken in London in the reports of President-elect Hoover's plan for stabilizing American prosperity through the accumulation of huge reserve funds.

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Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Evening Post in copyrighted weekly foreign exchange market review says:

"The foreign exchange market was unusually active for the holiday period, the market around Christmas, generally being extremely dull and with little important changes. The most important feature of this unusual holiday week's trading was the heavy demand for sterling exchange which was unable to obtain offerings of £200,000 and sold as high as $4.85 11-16 for cables. This movement was due to quarter-year-end settlements, although it had been understood two weeks ago, that most of these settlements had been provided for by forward contracts. The buying for this purpose was concentrated wholly in cables in London, giving an artificial premium value in this transfer of credit from New York to London, which were required on either side before clear ends. On this account the difference between demand and sterling rates widened to ¾ of a cent.

"French exchange was also traded in on a large scale, transactions going in 5,000,000 francs lots on an advance of about a point to 3.92 for cables. French exchange, however, eased off in the next few days.

"Dutch exchange was extremely strong all through the week, advancing over 2 points to 4.21 for cables and pronounced strength was also shown in Swiss exchange, which rose 2 points to 19.30½, and it is usual to attribute the movements of these two exchanges to the action of sterling but there was much to indicate the buying of Dutch exchange was of a special character and the transfer of funds was impossible.

"Scandinavian also showed an extremely strong tone all through the week, Sweden advancing 2 points to 26.83 on the way and Denmark both rose 2 points.

"There was little response to the far Eastern and South American markets. Canada was heavy all through the week anticipating a further loss of ¾ points to 100.50. Italian exchange was exceptionally strong in the far Eastern group, rallies moving up from 36.50 to 36.60.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Foreign exchange quotations were as follows:

Great Britain	demand	$4.85¾
	cables	$4.85⅞
France	demand	3.91
	cables	3.91½

60-day bills on banks $4.81⅝.

Quotations in cents. D demand, C cables.

FRANCE—France, D 3.91, C 3.91⅜.
ITALY—Lira, D 5.23⅛, C 5.23⅝.
BELGIUM—Belga, D 13.91.
GERMANY—Mark, D 23.79½.
HOLLAND—Florin, D 40.14.
NORWAY—Krone, D 26.67.
SWEDEN—Krone, D 26.80.
DENMARK—Krone, D 26.89½.
SWITZERLAND—Franc, D 19.27½.
SPAIN—Peseta, D 15.31.
GREECE—Drachma, D 1.29¼.
POLAND—Zloty, D 11.25.
CZECHO-SLOVAKIA—Krone, D 2.96¾.
JUGOSLAVIA—Crown, D 1.76.
AUSTRIA—Crown, D 14.07.
ROUMANIA—Leu, D .69.
ARGENTINA—Peso, D 42.22.
BRAZIL—Milreis, D 11.90.
TOKIO—Yen, D 43.80.
HANCHAI—Yen, D 63.85.
MONTREAL—Dollar, D 99.70 5-16.

TURPENTINE, FLAX AND LINSEED

Linseed oil in 1 to ... ead lots, 11.4c for boiled; for raw 1 ... 8c for boiled, 11.4c for raw; flax ... rrive $2.34@2.36 on track, $2.34@2.39 ...

Turpentine firm, 56c sales, 64¾ ... 202 shipments, 305 stock, 27 ... rosin, firm; sales 123,532. Quote: B, D, $8.80 8.05; E, $8.10@8.15; F, $8.10@8.15; G, $8.60@8.65; M, $8.75; $9.10; WG, $10; WW, $11.05; X, $11.35@11.30. Market closed Dec. 31 ... 288, 1...

NEW YORK BONDS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Total transactions in bonds on the New YYork Stock Exchange today amounted to $7,002,000 previous day's sales; $11,118,000 week ago, $4,960,000; year ago, $6,020,000. Total transactions from Jan. 1 to date were $2,925,525,000, compared with $3,321,766,000 a year ago, and $3,046,966,000 two years ago.

Quotations on all Liberty bonds are in dollars and thirty-seconds of a dollar; that is, for instance, a sale printed 99-24 means $99 and 24 thirty-seconds of a dollar, and not $99.24.

The following is a complete list of transactions giving sales highest, lowest and closing prices. In bond sales 000 omitted.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

SECURITY.	Sales	High.	Low.	Close.
Lib 3½s 47-47	28	99—24	99—22	99—24
Lib 1 4½s	4	100—1	100—1	100—9
Lib 4 4¼s	232	100—12	100—8	100—1
Treas 4¼s 47-52	2	111—24	111—24	111—24
Treas 4s 44-54	5	106—24	106—24	106—24
Treas 3¾s 40-43	1	98—24	98—24	98—24
Treas 3½s 43-47	33	98—23	98—23	98—23

CORPORATION BONDS.

Alls Chal 5s 37	3	100⅜	100¼	100½
Am Ag Chem 7s'8	8	104½	104¼	104¼
Am Chn sf db 6s	7	98	97	97
Am Mch & Fdy 6s	1	106¾	106¾	106¾
Am N Gas 6½ 42	17	97	96½	96½
Am Smelting 5s	3	101½	101½	101½
Am Sug Ref 6s	7	104¼	103½	104¼
Am Tel&Tel 5½s	13	106¾	106	106
do sf 5s 60	7	105	104½	105
do col 4s	43	99¾	99	99
Anaconda Cop 7s 38	87	186½	185½	185½
do 6s 58	4	105¾	105¾	105¾
Anaes CM 1s 43	6	227	223½	227
Ang Chil Nitr 7s	18	94	94	94
Arm&Co 1st 5½s	1	91	90½	90½
do rest 4½s	1	92¾	92½	92½
AT&SF gen 4s	2	92½	92¼	92½
Atlantic & Bir 4s	1	88¼	88¼	88¼
Atl & Stns 5½s	135	115	114	115
AUGulf&WI 5	7	76¾	76¾	76¾
Balt&o rf 6 95	7	109	109	109
B&I & O rfg 5	1	103¾	103¾	103¾
Balt&o 5 D 2000	115	102½	102½	102½
Balt&O cvt 4½	1	97¾	97¾	97¾
Balt&O gold 4	1	92¾	92¾	92¾
B&AlPLEAWV 4½	44	92¾	92¾	92¾
Barnsdall 6 war.	5	129½	129	129½
do 6 ex-war	18	99½	99½	99½
BethSteel con 6 A	30	104	104	104
BethSteel cn 5½s	10	103	102¾	103
deth Steel rfg 5	1	104	104	104
Bkcity RR 1st 5	2	88¾	88¾	88¾
Bkcn rfd 4	3	103¾	103¾	103¾
BkoManhtrans 6	20	98¾	98¾	98¾
Bullrun cn 4½s	11	92¾	90½	90½
Can Pac 5s	10	100½	100½	100½
Can N Ry 4½s30	4	95¾	95¾	100½
Can NRy 4½s 57	31	96	95¾	96
Can Pac deb 4s	1	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
Canada Sou 5s	1	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
Central Pac 5s	1	103	102¾	103
Centr Ist gtd 4s	2	90½	90¼	90¼
Certteed 5½s 48	4	80¾	80	80
Cesp Sug 7½s	1	96	96	96
Cessa Corp 5s 47	33	99	98¾	98¾
Ch & O con 5s	1	103¾	103¾	103¾
Ch&G 1st 4½s30	2	92¾	92¾	92¾
C & A 3½s sf	2	68	68	68
Chi & Alton 3s	1	69	69	69
C B & Q 4s ill	2	94¼	94¼	94¼
Ch&NW 4s 87	1	96	96	96
Chic Gt West 4s	2	69	69	69
Cin I&L 1st 58 06	8	101	101	101
Cal Stl & Pac 5s	257	93½	93	93¼
do adj 5s 2000	103	77¾	77¾	77½
Chicago Rails 5s	2	80¾	80¾	80¾
Ch Ind&L 4½s52	1	89¾	89¾	89¾
do rfg 4s	5	95	94¾	94¾
Chile Copp 5s 47	19	95¾	94	95
CCC&St. rfg 6s A	11	100⅝	100	100¼
Colo&So rfg 4s	1	100	100	100
CCC&StLrfg 5 D	37	103¾	103½	103⅝
CCC & St L rfg 4½s E 77	37	98¼	95¾	98¾
CCC&StL gen 4	1	89½	89¾	89¾
Clev Cn Term 5s	2	105¼	105¼	105¼
Col & So rfg 4 4	2	99½	99½	99½
Col Gas 5½s 52	2	99½	99½	99½
Colum R P&L4½s	37	93¾	92¾	93¾
Com Credit 5½s	1	93¾	93¾	93¾
Com Inv Tr 6s	2	96¾	96¾	96¾
Con Cl of Md 5	7	71¾	71¾	71¾
Con G NY 5½s 45	45	106	105¾	105¾
Consum G Chic 5	1	102	102	102
Cont Corp 6 40	3	98¼	98¼	98¼
Cuban C & S 6 47	1	98¾	98¾	98¾
Crow Will 6 51	4	101¾	101¾	101¾
Cub C Sug gb 8	1	79	78	79
Cub C Su cv deb 7	1	78¾	78¾	78¾
Cuba Nor Ry 5½s	12	92¾	92¼	92¼
Cuba R R 5	14	96¼	95¾	95¾
Cub Dom Sug 7½	11	97¼	96	97
D&RG 1st rfg 5s	5	101	101	101
DG&E 5 stp	1	99½	99¼	99½
DsRio Gr con 4	20	90¾	89¾	89¾
D&RG Wst gen 5	17	94	93¾	93¾
do rfg 5	11	92	92	92
Det E 1st&rf 6 B	2	108	108	108
Det&M gold 4	15	75	75	75
Dodge Bros deb 6 40	66	102¾	102	102
Dug Lt 4½s A 67	13	99¾	99¾	99¾
East Cuba S 7½s	14	98¼	94	94½
Erie 1st cn gat 7	2	105¾	94¾	93¼
Erie rf&imp 5 67	19	95¾	95¼	95¾
Erie gen lien 4	2	80	80	80
Fed Lt G B 54	1	100	100	100
Fed L&T stpd 42	3	96	96	96
Fla C&P 5 30	4	78¼	77	78¼
Gen Cable 5½	23	98¾	98	98
Gen Elec 3½	7	104¾	104¾	104¾
Gen Mtr Ac 6 37	21	102¾	102½	102¾
Gen Refractor 6	1	107	107	107
Ga Midland 3	6	74¾	74¾	74¾
Goodrich BF 6½	1	106¾	106¾	106¾
Gdyr T&R 5 57	26	93¾	92¾	93¼
Gould Coup 6 40	1	71	71	71
Gr TE Ry Can 7	13	111¾	111¾	111¾
Gt Nor Ry 7 A	1	112¾	112¾	112¾
do 5½ B	1	108¾	108¾	108¾
do gen4½s 76D	2	97¾	97¾	97¾
Hay Elec 5½	4	63	62	62
Hoc R&Co 6½	1	85¾	85¾	85¾
Hud&Man 1st 5s A	11	82¾	81¾	81¾
do adj inc 5	26	82¾	82	82
Hum o&Ref 5½	7	101¾	101¾	101¾
do 5 57	2	100¾	100¾	100¾
Illi Bell Tel 5	1	104¾	104¾	104¾
Ill Cent 6½s	1	110	110	110
do 5	2	105¾	105¾	105¾
do 4	9	90¾	90¼	90¾
Ill Cent 4 52	1	91	91	91
Ill Cen col trl 53	6	87¾	87¾	87¾
I C & C 1 L&N	1	95½	95½	95½
O rfg 5s 56	15	102½	102½	102¼
I C & S S L&N 4½s	1	95½	95½	95½
Indiana Steel 5	1	103¾	103¾	103¾
Inland S 4½s'78	1	92	92	92
Inspir Con 6½	2	101¼	101¼	101¼
Inter R Trau 6	16	99¾	99¾	99¾
Inter R Trau 7	0	80	80	80
Inter R Tr rfg 5	7	79	79	79
Int-R T rfg5 sts	6	79	79	79
Int Agric 5 stp	1	86	86	86
Int Cement 5 48	20	109½	109	109½
Int G Nor adj 6	30	91¼	91¼	91¼
Int G Nor 1st 6	1	104	104	104
Int T & T 4½s'60	95	103¾	103	103¾
In Match 5 47	25	98	97¾	97¾
In M Mar sf 6	3	99¾	99½	99½
In Pap rfg 6 A	1	96	96	96
Int Pa cvt 5½	6	94¼	94¼	94¼
Int Ry C Am 5	7	80	80	80
Int T & T 4½ 52	22	94	93¾	93¾
Iowa Cent 1st 5	1	40	40	40
Iowa Cent rfg 4	14	12	12	12
K C South rfg 5	100	99	98¾	98¾
K C South 1st 5	1	93¾	93¾	93¾
Kan Gas & El 6	2	102	102	102
Kayser J 5½ 47	24	135½	133½	135½
Keith B F 6 A	2	93¾	93¼	93¾
Kelly-Sp Tire 7	1	110¾	110¾	110¾
Kelly-Sp Tire 5	1	117¾	117¾	117¾
Kings Co L 6½	1	104	104	104
Klun & Co c 7½	4	103¾	103¾	103¾
Kresge Fd 6	1	98	97¾	98
L&NRS gd 4 51	10	88	87½	88
L Via c 4 2003	10	88	87½	88
Loew's Inc 6ww 41	2	114¾	114¾	114¾
Loew's Inc 6 cxw	1	100	100	100
Lorillard Co 7s	1	112	112	112
do 5½ 37	16	85¼	84½	85
do 5	1	85¼	85¼	85¼
Lou G&El 5	12	103¾	103¼	103¾
Louis & N 7	1	101¾	101¾	101¾
Louis & N rf 5½	5	106¾	106¼	106¼
Met Ed 5s	1	101	101	101
Met Ws E Chi 4s	6	77	76½	76½
Mid Cst Pet 6s	5	105	105	105
Mid Stl cvt 5s	9	100	99½	100
MERL 1s 5s B 61	12	101	100½	101
MERR&L 4½s	20	117	116	117
M&StL rfg 5s 62	2	16	16	16
M&StL 1st rfg4s	1	19¾	19¾	19¾
MStP&SSM 6s	2	101	101	101
MStP&SSM 5½s	13	93½	92¾	93¼
MStP&SSM gtd 5s	1	99	99	99
MKT new pf 5sA	46	101	100¾	100¾
MKTex adj 5sA	34	104	103¾	104
MKT gen 4 1st 75	50	93½	93	93¼
Mo Pac 5s F 77	89	98¼	97½	98¼
MoPac rfg 5s65A	1	100¼	100¼	100¼
Mo Pac gen 4s	36	76¼	75¾	75¾
M K O 4½s T 62	100	84¼	84	84¼
Mo Pac 3s G 78	22	98½	97¾	98
Mo Pc rf 5 A 65	15	103	102¾	102¾
Mont P 5 D 60	16	100¼	100	99¾
Montreal T c 5 41	1	98¾	98¾	98¾
M & C 1st 4½	6	87¾	87½	87¾
Murray Body 6½	2	101½	101½	101½
Nash Chat 5½ 48	12	99¾	99¾	99¾
Nassau E c 4 stp	1	57	57	57
Nat Dairy 5½ 48	12	98	97¾	97¾
N R M 4½s 57	10	125½	125½	125½
Nev Rcg 7s T 5	1	106¾	106¾	106¾
NET&T c 4½ B	1	100	100	100
NOPS 5 55 B	1	95¾	95¾	95¾
NOT&Mex 5½	3	104½	104½	104½
NYC&HR deb 6	24	108½	107¾	107¾
NYC&HR r 3½	1	81¼	81¼	81¼
NYCLS c 1s 3½	1	78¾	78¾	78¾
NY Chi & St L 6	2	102	102	102
NYC&St L deb 4	5	86¾	86¾	86¾
N Y Dock C 5 58	5	86¾	86¼	86¾
N Y Dock Co 4	3	82¼	82¼	82¼
NYG&LHP p m 4	4	93¾	93¾	93¾
NYN&H cv 6 48	20	117	116	117
do 1st&ref4½ 67	2	90¾	90	90¾
do deb 4s 56	6	83¾	82¾	83¾
N Y Ky Inc 6 65	13	20½	20	20
NY&RG 1 rf G A	10	105½	105½	105½
NYStateRys 4½	12	46¾	46¾	46¾
N Y Tel rf 6 41	4	107½	107	107
N Y Tel deb 6 43	8	111¾	110¾	112½
N Y Tel gen 4½s	1	100	100	100
NYW&Bost 4½s	1	84¼	84¼	84¼
NLk&Pow 5 55A	1	105	105	105
Norf&West 4	1	92	92	92
do divi 4	2	91¾	91¾	91¾
N&W&SpocC div	2	92¾	92¾	92¾
NJunc&Cen 4½	2	101¼	100¾	101¼
NorAmEdis 5½	1	99	99	99
Nor Pac pr 1 4s	1	77	77	77
Nor Pac gen 3s	13	67¾	67½	67¾
NStatesPow 6s	1	105¾	105¾	105¾
NStatesPow 5s A	1	101	101	101
Ohio Riv Edis 6s	1	105¾	105¾	105¾
OreshLine 4s	1	88¾	88¾	88¾
Otis Steel 6s	1	101	101	101
PacP&L 1st rfg 5	5	99½	99½	99½
PacT&T rfg 5 52	1	104¼	104¼	104¼
ParFam 2&3Tr 5s 1940	2	95	95	95
ParPLasky 6s 47	7	99¼	99¼	99¼
PatheEx 7 w	1	80¾	80¾	80¾
PennDixie 6 A 41	1	96	96	96
Penn Ry gold 4½s	1	97¾	97¾	97¾
Penn R R 7s 30	1	107¾	107¾	107¾
Pa RR gold 4½s	1	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝
Pa RR gen 5s 63	6	108	107¾	108
Pa R R 6s 64	14	103¾	102½	102½
Pa R R 4s 48	12	101	100¾	101
Pa R R 4½s 84	1	99	99	99
Phila Co 5s 67	54	98¾	98¼	98¾
Phil Elec 4½s 67	5	99¼	99¼	99¼
Phillips Pet 6s 39	10	92¾	92	92
PhlsbyFtMills 6s	8	103¾	103½	103½
Pitts&LE 6½s 75	1	103¾	103¾	103¾
PtArC&D 6s	1	104¾	104¼	104¾
PortElPow 6 47	8	101	101	101
PRyLt&P 7½ A	1	107¾	107¾	107¾
PurRfg&mTrs 6s	1	101¾	101¾	101¾
PostalT&C 5s 53	6	93¾	93¾	93¾
PbSvEl&G 5s 65	3	103¾	103¾	103¾
PSvcCorp 6 A 60	58	107	107	107
PuntaAlegSug 7s	3	89¾	89¼	89¾
PureOil 5½ 37	13	100	99½	100
Purity Bak 6s 48	9	94¼	94	94
Quaker Oats 6s	10	80	80	80
Rem R 5½ 47 wi	11	94	93¾	93¾
Rio G West 1st 4	1	90¾	90¾	90¾
Rutsch G&E 7 46	1	106¾	106¾	106¾
R I A & L 4½s	2	96	95¾	96
SL IM&S gen 5	1	100	100	100
S L I M & S 4 R	11	94	93¾	93¾
S L R M & P 5	2	76¾	76¼	76¾
SL&SF gen 5 31	2	99½	99½	99½
SL & SF 4½s 78	120	88¼	87¾	88¼
SL&SF 2d 6s A	50	88¾	88¾	88¾
S L SW 1st 4	50	87¾	87¾	87¾
SA&A Pass 1st 4	55	89¾	89¾	89¾
SanAn T 4½gtd A	3	100	100	100
Schulco 6½ B	3	100	100	100
Sea A L con 6	27	73¾	72¾	73¾
Sea A L gold 4	5	180	180	180
Sea A L 1st 6	2	97	97	97
Sea A L rfg 4 A	25	59	57¾	58
Sea A Fla Rs 6A	50	65¼	63¾	64¾
Shell P L 5 52	21	98¾	98¼	98¾
Shell U 5 47	1	92¼	92¼	92¼
Shub Tn 6 42	1	91¾	91¾	91¾
Sierra&S FP 5	1	100½	100½	100½
Sinc Co c 7	1	100¾	100¾	100¾
do 6½	12	101	100¾	100¾
do 6 D 30	15	99¼	99¼	99¼
Sinc CO5½s 38	1	97¾	97¾	97¾
So Cal Ed 4 32	1	90¾	90¾	90¾
Sou Pac 4½ 29	21	99¼	99¼	99¼
So P 4½s Ore L 77	10	99	99	99
So P R S 7	2	106	106	106
Sou Ry g 6½	5	122	122	122
Sou Ry g 6	1	110	110	110
do con 4	1	80	80	80
S W Bell T 5	2	104	104	104
Stand M 5½	3	101½	101½	101½
St Gas 6½	1	102	102	102
St O NY 4½ 51	14	97	96¾	97
Stevens Hotel 6	1	98	98	98
Sug Est 6½ 42	1	98¾	98¾	98¾
Tenn C&C 6 41	2	110¾	110¾	110¾
Tenn EP pf 6 A	1	107¾	107¾	107¾
Texark F 5½ A	11	103¾	103¼	103¾
Tex & P 5 57	11	103¾	103¼	103¾
Trans-Cont O 6½	38	102¾	102½	102¾
Tex P&MPT 5½	12	102¾	102½	102¾
Third Ave rfg 4	1	64¾	64¾	64¾
Toledo Trac 5½	1	99¾	99¾	99¾
Trumbull S 6 40	1	90¾	90¾	90¾
Un Pac 4½ 67	2	96¾	96¾	96¾
do 1st 4	1	94¾	94¾	94¾
do gold 4 68	5	89¾	89¼	89¾
do rfd 4	11	97	96¾	97
U Drug Del 5 53	1	97	96¾	97
U S Rub 5	6	89½	88¾	89¼
U S Steel 5 63	5	108	107¾	108
Univer P&R 6	3	98¾	98¾	98¾
Utah Pow&Lt 5	4	100½	100½	100½
Va&W con 5	4	94¾	94¼	94¾
Wab 1st&ex 1st 5	31	101¾	101¼	101¾
do 2d 5	1	99¾	99¾	99¾
do 5 B 76	1	99¾	99¾	99¾
do 5 A 76	16	99	99	99
Walworth Co 6s	8	90½	90	90½
W Penn P 5½ 57	2	104¾	104¼	104¾
W Penn Pow 5sA	1	102¾	102¾	102¾
Western Pac 5s	21	104¾	104¼	104¾
West Maryland 4s	25	81	80¾	80¾
West Pac 1st 5s	2	99¾	99¼	99¾
West Union 6½s	1	110	110	110
West Un 5s 50-75	1	108¾	108¾	108

UNUSUALLY HIGH EXPORT BALANCE MARKS AMERICAN FOREIGN TRADE

STEADY GROWTH IN U. S. EXPORT TRADE IN 1928

Export Balance, It Is Estimated, Will Probably Be $900,000,000, the Largest Since 1924.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A steady growth of American export trade to the highest volume attained since 1920 marked the course of 1928 foreign trade, according to a review of the year's world trade conditions issued by the National Foreign Trade Council. The Council's estimate places our 1928 exports at slightly more than $5,000,000,000, a gain of a little over two per cent over the preceding year. Owing chiefly to lower prices among some of our principal imports, 1928 American import trade totaled about 2 per cent less than that of 1927 and will amount to about $4,100,000,000. The anticipated export balance, which is indicated at about $900,000,000, will be the largest the United States has had since 1924, when it amounted to $981,000,000.

The outstanding developments for the year in American foreign trade, the Council's statement continues, have been the unusually high export balance and the very large proportion of manufactured goods among our exports. The anticipated balance in favor of exports is our highest since 1924, and the highest, except for that year, since 1921. But it should not be forgotten that American tourist expenditures abroad, now a potent factor in the real balance of our trade have also been estimated at fully $900,000,000 for 1928, and thus practically equal our export trade balance. The high proportion of manufactured goods among our exports, over 70 per cent for 1928, adds a stabilizing factor to our trade as these are the products that respond to American salesmanship abroad and are carrying us forward each year to new levels of progress.

Recovery of China.

The past year has seen the recovery of China as a market for American goods to a degree that is now becoming consistent with that country's reputed promise. With the cessation of revolutionary hostilities, during 1928, China's imports from the United States increased by 50 per cent over the preceding year. They are now estimated to reach $130,000,000 for the entire year 1928, which is also a substantial advance over our average exports to China for the past three years of about $115,000,000.

American exports to Japan also increased in 1928 by about 8 per cent and are estimated for the full year at about $250,000,000, or 5 per cent of our entire export trade. Altogether exports to Asia improved by 12 per cent and gained about $60,000,000 over 1927.

Export trade with South America also showed a 7½ per cent gain, where Argentina as usual led as a purchaser of American goods with an estimated total of $160,000,000, almost 10 per cent better than last year. There was also a normal gain of about 7 per cent in American exports throughout Central America.

Canada Best Customer.

Canada again maintained its place as our best customer with purchases totaling over $800,000,000. This represents a purchasing habit of Canadians from the United States of practically $900 per capita, the largest per capita business done between any two large nations in the world.

Exports to Europe remained with very little variation from 1927 and amount to just over $2,300,000,000, or 48 per cent of our export trade, in comparison with the excess of 60 per cent usually held before the war. The most interesting development of the year was the growth of our export trade with Russia by almost 20 per cent to close to $80,000,000, about twice our sales to Russia in 1913.

Exports to the United Kingdom and Germany fell off slightly during the year, chiefly owing to reduced purchases of wheat and cotton, general trade showing a slight advance in both these countries as elsewhere throughout Europe. French purchases increased about 3 per cent and exports to Spain about 8 per cent. The largest increase in our export trade was that with Italy, which gained almost 20 per cent over 1927 and amounts to about 20 per cent of Italy's entire import trade, a larger proportion than that purchased from any other nation.

Fall Imports Late.

The usual heavy seasonal fall import trade began late this year, not reaching its usual proportions until October, with little prospect of making up the $100,000,000 shortage from last year, which is indicated in the first returns for 1928 imports. There is no diminution in imported manufactured goods, however, many of them, such as our steadily rising imports of paper, being utilized in American manufactures.

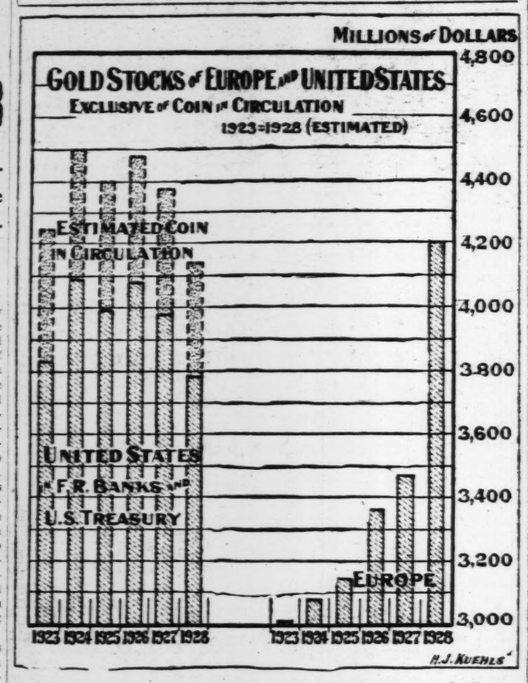
Among the crude imports price recessions have been principally responsible for the reduced values in our import returns. Sugar, for instance, has continued to fall in price, and though the actual volume of our imports for the year is only slightly less than last year's volume, the reduced value of sugar imports is less by 15 per cent from the value of last year's sugar imports. Imported crude petroleum has likewise fallen off in price, as also have rubber, silk, tin, nitrate of soda and other fertilizers, wood pulp, newsprint paper and many other staples. Among the few products which have appreciated in price are coffee, burlap, hides and skins, tea and cocoa.

Exports of gold in 1928 are estimated for the year to have attained the remarkable total of almost $600,000,000, which is equal to the gold shipments for the entire three preceding years, while gold imports are very substantially below the $195,000,000 brought in last year. The large gold shipments abroad are a reflection of Europe's increasing gold reserve and also accompany an expansion this year of our foreign loans, which are anticipated for the first time to reach the two billion mark.

Gas for Graf Zeppelin Engines.

The first recorded use of manufactured gas as fuel for an air craft was marked by the recent arrival of the Graf Zeppelin in America. Gas has hitherto been used on land, under ground and under water, but this was its entrance into a new field.

Europe's Gold Stocks Rise Sharply



A comparison is made in the above chart of gold stocks in Europe and the United States exclusive of coin in circulation. While stocks in the United States have fallen somewhat from the high levels of 1924 and 1926, Europe's supply of gold increased enormously during 1928. This is viewed as a force calculated to improve European purchasing power.

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SEES ERA OF PROSPERITY IN THE NEXT FIVE YEARS

By W. S. PARISH
President Humble Oil Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

I AM optimistic on America and on general business conditions. I am looking forward to the next few years with great confidence. I believe they will be years of constructive prosperity, taken as a whole.

Paper Production in October.

The total paper production in October was 617,944 tons as compared with 546,946 tons in September and 610,516 tons in August, according to mill reports to the American Paper and Pulp Association. The 10 months' production of 1928 totaled 5,814,148 tons, against a total of 5,667,074 tons for the same period of 1927, an increase of approximately 3 per cent.

COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY BETTER LATE IN THE YEAR

By H. R. FITZGERALD,
President American Cotton Manufacturers' Association.

By the Associated Press.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 29.

The cotton textile industry, while not in a thoroughly stabilized condition, really is in better shape than at any time in 1928 and its outlook for 1929 is promising.

The past year, coupled with late 1927, has carried with it the longest depression the industry has had for years, and perhaps in its existence. Over-production, with attendant evils, was glaring at us at the beginning of 1928.

Existing groups, as organized in the Cotton-Textile Institute, began to study co-operatively the adjustment of production to demand, cost accounting, new uses for cotton and better distributing methods. In conjunction with the Federal Trade Commission codes of trade practices were evolved to establish stability and confidence among the various branches of the industry. As a result of these efforts has been that stocks have been reduced, cost factors have been improved and new uses have broadened the field of service.

The outlook for 1929 is fairly promising, provided experiences of 1928 are not forgotten or ignored. There seems to be a decided trend in the minds of many manufacturers from production-mindedness to distribution-mindedness and a tendency to study this problem more than they have at any period in our industrial history.

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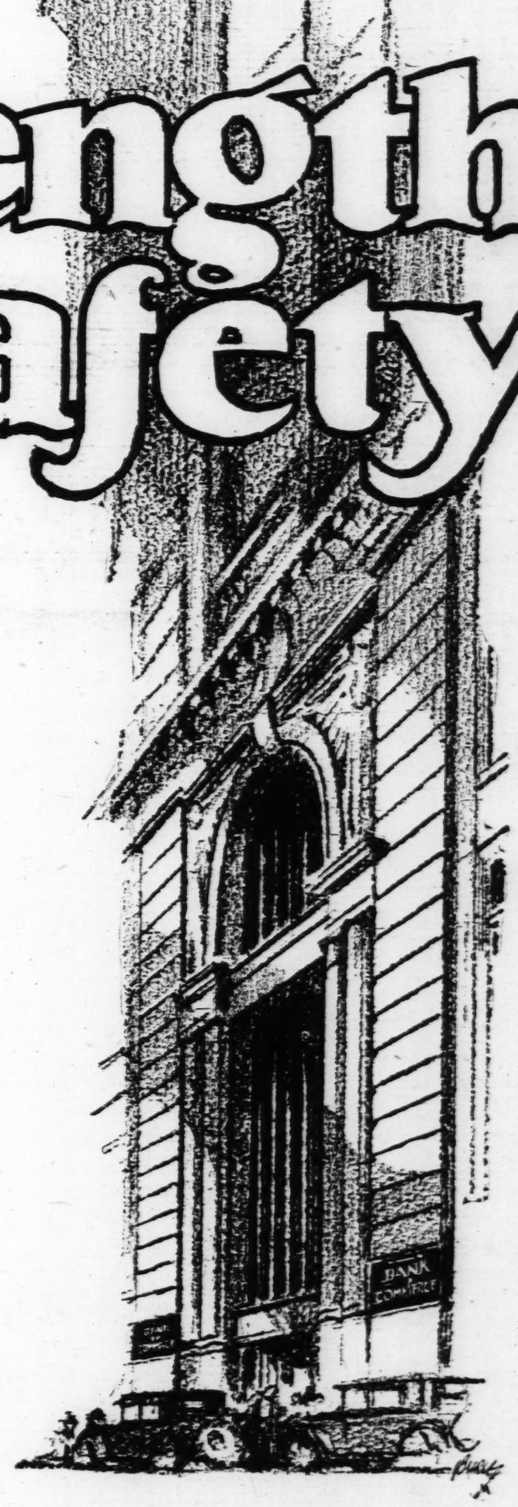
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Miss Lulie Simmons (left) debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Welch Simmons, and Miss Anne West, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. West, who are assisting in the arrangements for the French Court costume ball for the benefit of the Art Alliance.
—Strauss.



MISS MARY MERWIN SHEPLEY, daughter of Mrs. Arthur B. Shepley, one of the debutantes working for the success of the French costume ball to be given January 12.
—Ashen-Brenner.



MRS. JOHN HAMMOND McBRIDE, a bride of December 22. She was Miss Elizabeth Carlisle Gambrill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Garvin Gambrill.
—Schweig.



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MISS CATHERINE WOERMANN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Woermann, whose engagement to Charles Ormond Eames of Berryville, Va., was announced Friday.
—Dieckman.

Social Chronicles

MRS. CLIFFORD W. GAYLORD of Hanley road, her daughters, Miss Jane and Miss Peggy Pirrung, and Miss Elizabeth Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Vernon Clark, 5234 Westminster place, are planning a lengthy trip abroad. They will sail from New York Feb. 7 on the Rotterdam for a Mediterranean cruise, and later will travel through Europe, returning next fall.

Miss Clark will depart Jan. 20 for New York to visit friends for two weeks before sailing.

Mrs. Lelia Chopin Hattersley of New York, formerly of St. Louis, will give a lesson on contract bridge Wednesday, Jan. 9, at 11 o'clock in the Junior League clubroom, 4914 Maryland avenue, under the auspices of the St. Louis Junior League.

Mrs. Hattersley is the author of "Contract Bridge Clarified" and "Contract Developments," which has just been published.

Miss Grace Leyman of Cincinnati, Jack Taylor, also of Cincinnati, and William Lackey of Tulsa, Ok., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. von Weise, 8 Lennox place. Miss

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French Court Costume Ball at Jefferson, Jan. 11

THE French Court costume ball for the benefit of the traveling scholarship fund of the Art Alliance will be given in the gold ballroom of the Jefferson Hotel instead of Hotel Statler, as originally planned, and will take place Friday, Jan. 11, instead of Saturday, Jan. 12.

According to the invitations, the historical period chosen for the court costumes extends from the reign of Louis IX up to and including Louis XVI, the time extending over a period of five centuries, giving ample opportunity for either simple or elaborate costume effects. Women guests who do not care to represent a court character have been asked to wear evening attire with powdered hair and beauty patches. Men guests have been requested to appear in satin court breeches, dress coat, lace wrist ruffles and stocks. Those not inclined to wear fancy dress and appear on the dance floor may view the ball from the balcony and enjoy the buffet supper to be served after midnight.

The entertainment program for the ball includes dancing and pageantry. The spectacle will feature a triumphal entrance march led by Louis IX, portrayed by James H. Platt, will be attended by four pages in white satin costumes and his court in gala attire. A fanfare of trumpets will herald his approach and a band will furnish music. Following King Louis IX will come the succeeding kings and their consorts attended by their

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Several Entertainments for Princeton Triangle Club

THE annual visit of the Princeton Triangle Club to St. Louis was the occasion for a number of interesting holiday parties. At the presentation of the operetta "Zuider Zee" at the Odeon last evening the audience was composed largely of members of the debutante set and the young women and men home from college for the Christmas season.

Festivities began yesterday immediately after the arrival of the players with a stag luncheon at the Racquet Club, given by the Princeton Club of St. Louis, of which Robert Burkham is president.

Mrs. Josephine Salorgne Scullin gave a theater party last evening at the Odeon in honor of her debutante daughter, Miss Josephine Salorgne Scullin. Her guests included Miss Janet Orthwein, Miss Nancy Blair, Miss Anne K. West, Miss Medora Steedman, Miss Betty Niles, Miss Lulie Simmons, Miss Mary Merwin Shepley, Miss Gladys Muckerman, Miss Elizabeth Ferguson, Miss Katherine Koerber, Miss Lucy Thompson, Miss Marie von Phul Michel, Miss Janet Bond Harris, Miss Louise Rexford, Miss Jane Butler, Miss Marie Wilson and Miss Lily Magnus. Benoist Tompkins, E. G. Rolwing, Walter Candy, Clifton McMillan, Clinton Whittemore Jr., Ned Simmons, Clark Smith, B. O. Clark, William Brown Goltra, Robert La Beaume, Oliver L. Garrison III, Thruston Pettus, Fred Schwartz, Carl Meyer, Arthur Preece, Richard Scullin, Edward E. Haverstick, Scott

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MISS FLORENCE KOENIGSBERG, whose marriage to Frank W. Weberman of Pittsburg will take place today in New York.
—Ashen-Brenner.

Miss Virginia Price Weds Tebbetts Breck

ONE of the loveliest of the Christmas week weddings was that of Miss Virginia Minor Price, daughter of Thomas E. Price, 26 North Kingshighway, and L. Tebbetts Breck of New York, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breck, formerly of St. Louis. The ceremony took place last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. Price, the Rev. Dr. Edward S. Travers, pastor of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, officiating in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Freen B. Nulsen, and Mr. Breck had as his best man Henry Bonfig of Kansas City. E. E. Salisbury, a brother-in-law of Mr. Breck, and Gorden Baquie of Indianapolis, Ind., were ushers. The bride's young niece, Leslie Nulsen, was flower girl, and the bridegroom's small nephew, Robert Salisbury, carried the ring on a white satin cushion.

The wedding took place in the drawing room, which was decorated in great clusters of pink roses against a background of palms. The bridal party stood beneath a canopy of trailing asparagus fern interspersed by hundreds of pink roses. Cathedral candles in tall

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Christmas Week Brings Interesting Group of Betrothals

List of Brides-to-Be Includes Barbara Birge, Eugenia Armstrong, Catherine Woermann, Suzanne Payton and Dorothy Veazey.

ONE of the most interesting engagements of Christmas week was that of Miss Barbara Blackmore Birge, daughter of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Birge of Nashville, Tenn., formerly of St. Louis, and Edward Frederick Hager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Hager of 1244 Temple place.

Mr. and Mrs. Birge and their family are the holiday guests of Mr. Birge's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Courtland T. Carrier, 5076 Westminster place, and the announcement was made at an informal family dinner party at their home Christmas day.

Miss Birge is a member of the senior class at Smith College and will receive her degree in June. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. George T. Riddle, 5207 Lindell boulevard.

Mr. Hager attended Washington boulevard and is a member of Theta XI fraternity.

The wedding date has not been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Birge plan to return to St. Louis in a few months to make their home.

Two engagements of importance, announced within a few hours of each other, have been added to the holiday news of society, and are of special interest because of the years of friendship between the brides-elect.

The engagement of Miss Eugenia Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Percy Armstrong, 6254 Washington boulevard, and Charles Andrew Brandon, formerly of Auburn, Ind., was announced yesterday at a beautifully appointed luncheon given by Mrs. Armstrong at their home.

Miss Armstrong is a graduate of Mary Institute and Vassar College. She spent one year at Washington University and became a member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Mr. Brandon is a graduate of Princeton University.

The luncheon table was adorned with pink roses, snapdragon and narcissus and cards at each place bearing the names of Miss Armstrong and her fiance told the news of the engagement.

The guests were: Miss Olive Moffitt, Miss Helen Rule, Mrs. Walter Westerman Shipley, Miss Grace Moulton, Miss Martha Strickler, Miss Catherine Woermann, Mrs. Henry Mudd, Mrs. Clarence Barksdale, Mrs. Warren Crowdus, Mrs. Marcus M. Chapman, Miss Eleanor Fidler, Miss Nell Atwood and Mrs. Lucien Galena of Providence, R. I., who has come to St. Louis to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Caulfield, and to attend Mr. Caulfield's inauguration as Governor.

The wedding will take place in the early spring.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Woermann, 7 Arundel place, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Catherine Woermann, and Charles Ormand Eames, son of Mrs. Charles O. Eames of Berryville, Va., at a dinner party given Friday night at their home for a group of close friends.

The guests included Miss Eleanor Fidler, Miss Grace Moulton, Miss Elizabeth Upthegrove, Miss Martha Strickler, Miss Eugenia Armstrong, Miss Beatrice Schmidt, Mrs. Robert S. Starbird, Miss Katharine Murray, Albert Cunliff, Carlton Cook, Charles A. Brandon, Walter Dobson, William Taggart, Wallace Gilbert, Richard Chomeau, Erik Wolf, Dwight Ingamells, Mr. and Mrs. Henri Chomeau Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Melchior Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. William Fuhri.

Miss Woermann is a graduate of Mary Institute and Vassar College. She spent a year at Washington University, where she became a member of Phi Beta Phi, and is now a member of the faculty in the department of French at Mary Institute.

Mr. Eames studied at Washington University and is now engaged in business as an architect. He is a member of Sigma Chi.

The wedding will take place in June.

Mrs. Leland R. Payton gave a luncheon yesterday at her home, York drive and Lay road, followed by a theater party, in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Suzanne Payton, to announce Miss Payton's engagement to Neal J. Campbell.

Miss Payton is the daughter of Mrs. E. K. Payton of Clayton, and is a graduate of Barnard College. Mr. Campbell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell, 5585 Waterman avenue. He is a graduate of the Carnegie Institute of Technology, where he became a member of Sigma Nu.

The wedding arrangements have not been announced.

The engagement if Miss Dorothy B. Veazey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Veazey, 122 Hamilton avenue, and Dr. Robert R. Means

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Diplomatic Breakfast At Capital Tuesday

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.

OFFICIAL New Year's day receptions are taboo, at least for 1929, and that part of Washington society accustomed to pay its respects at the White House and in Cabinet homes will confine its visits to non-official hosts. President Coolidge canceled the New Year's White House reception because of his absence from the capital and the fatiguing ordeal through which Mrs. Coolidge would have to pass.

The President's decision caused a general readjustment for the day in his executive family, and the Secretary of State and Mrs. Kellogg will be the only members of the Cabinet family at home on Tuesday afternoon. The Cabinet women, however, will be at home on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 2, and will observe each Wednesday at home during the month.

The diplomatic breakfast at the Pan-American Union Building at 12:30 p. m., will be one of the most dazzling events in Washington in a 12-month except perhaps the diplomatic reception at the White House, and even then it is more concretely brilliant, because only a few persons outside the higher official ranks are asked. Considerable ceremony attends the affair. Liveried footmen stand before the Pan-American Building to open the doors of limousines for the guests, other men in livery stand by to show them up the steps. They are met both without and within the door by attendants and the Director-General of the Pan-American Union. Dr. Leo S. Rowe, considered the host of the building, greets them, and has them shown to the elevator by still other attendants. On their leaving the elevator on the second floor, where they have their wraps and form into line according to precedent, they are escorted to the Hall of Flags where the Secretary and Mrs. Kellogg meet them, the presentations generally being made by Charles S. Cooke, master of ceremonies of the State Department.

Once received and once within the lofty hall of the Americas, as the chamber is named, the scene changes into one of far less ceremony and is indeed gay. This year as in former years, a long table will be laid along one side of the room, and it will be furnished with tall standards of poinsettias and other Christmas flowers and silver and crytal will add charm and color. Small tables will be arranged on the opposite side of the room bearing huge bowls of fruit punch. There will be cold meats and fowls and lobster served after the American fashion. Ices, frappes and creams with colorful bonbons and dishes of nuts from American forests. There will as usual be a grand rush for the long table and the younger diplomats will serve themselves, the ladies and the older members of the corps. After they have received their guests, the Secretary and Mrs. Kellogg will sit at a small table with the dean of the corps, the Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Isabella Howard, and will sip coffee.

Outside the White House and the Cabinet circle but little change will be made in the day's schedule. The military officers stationed in and near Washington will don their uniforms and go for a call on Major-General Charles P. Summerall, Chief of Staff, and Mrs. Summerall at Fort Myer. They will call on Major-General John A. Le Jeune, commandant of the Marine Corps, and Mrs. Le Jeune, and upon the Chief of Staff of the Navy, Admiral Charles F. Hughes and Mrs. Hughes at the navy yard.

The Chief Justice of the United States and Mrs. William Howard Taft will keep open house and the wives of Associate Justices will assist Mrs. Taft.

Mrs. Coolidge went calling on Christmas eve, paying a compliment to Miss Marian Jardine, daughter of the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Jardine, the only debutante from the Cabinet. She was an attractive figure in a long black coat of graceful lines, having a deep white fox fur collar and cuffs. Her small hat was of silver lace and metal embroidery and the bag she carried corresponded. Since early morning she had been engaged in duties which took her away from the White House, such as giving out baskets for the Salvation Army and so on.

As a debutante Miss Jardine was a graceful, wholesome figure in her white chiffon gown and her chief adornment was the large cluster of pink roses sent to her by the President and Mrs. Coolidge.

The Vice-President-elect, Senator Charles Curtis, and Senator Arthur Capper, were chief among the many men from the Senate who attended, and at the tea as upon all other occasions where the music warrants it, Senator Capper danced constantly, scarcely missing a debutante in the room and still reserved strength to dance with Miss Jardine when she had ceased to receive.

When Cabinet days at home start next week it will be a signal for a general rush for open doors. The young ladies from fashionable schools and seminaries will be escorted in large groups by chaperones.

When Mrs. Coolidge celebrates her fiftieth birthday anniversary Jan. 3 it will be the signal for a flood of letters, telegrams and gifts to be sent to the White House, but there will be no further celebration than a small family party. The following Sunday Mrs. Charles Gates Dawes will celebrate her birthday, and the nearest approach to other than a similarly simple celebration will be the dinner party the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard will give for Mr. and Mrs. Dawes the next day.

MISS MARION CLINTON



Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Clinton, daughter of Mrs. W. S. Clinton, 6015 Kingsbury boulevard, and Jack W. Kelly of Los Angeles. —Dieckman

MISS GENEVIEVE PADBERG



Miss Padberg's marriage to Harold H. Schulz will take place Jan. 31. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Louis R. Padberg, 3819 South Grand boulevard. —Dieckman.

MISS MILDRED BISCHOFF

Miss Bischoff, the daughter of Mrs. Byron Cade, 7109 Kingsbury boulevard, will become the bride of Albert Louis Nelson Jr. The engagement was announced Wednesday. —Dieckman

MISS ANNA LOU KRENNING



The engagement of Miss Krenning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krenning, 7334 Westmoreland drive, and Charles B. Gilder of Durant, Okla., was announced last week at luncheon at her home. —Kandeler.



MISS DOROTHY B. VEAZEY,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Veazey, 123 Hamilton avenue, whose engagement to Dr. Robert R. Means of Marionville, Mo., was made known yesterday. —Dieckman



MISS VIRGINIA STEPHENS,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Stephens, 4936 Lotus place. She will become the bride of Charles E. Reis Jr. The announcement was made yesterday at a luncheon at the Hillcrest Country Club. —Ashen-Brenner

Several Entertainments For Princeton Triangle Club

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Hawkins, Firmin Desloge Jr., and Nathaniel Goodson.

Two other debutante parties will take place; one to honor Miss Jane Tyler Messick to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin G. Chapman Jr., and the second to compliment Miss Ellen Bates, with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Maffitt of 4520 West Pine boulevard as host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Sears Lehmann of 230 Westgate avenue will give a dinner and theater party for Miss Mary Lucas Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hart of St. Augustine, Fla., who, with her parents, is visiting in St. Louis.

Miss Elizabeth Dickson Harris and her sister, Miss Virginia Harris, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Harris, 6218 Washington boulevard, shared honors at a party at the play which their parents gave for them, following a dinner at the Harris home.

Following the performance, the cast will be honor guests at a supper dance to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burkham and Mr. and Mrs. Ingram F. Boyd at the St. Louis Country Club. There will be about 200 guests present and will include a number of the buds and debutantes of last season; Princeton men, moth students and alumni.

This afternoon the visitors will be entertained at luncheon at the St. Louis Country Club by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Langenberg and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lionberger Davis. The Triangle Club will depart this evening for Indianapolis, Ind.

Social Chronicles of the Week

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Leyman is a sister of Mrs. Louis B. von Weise Jr., who was Miss Elizabeth Leyman. They will remain 10 days.

Mrs. Von Weise will give a luncheon Monday for Miss Leyman.

Miss Jane Blackmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Guy Blackmer, 6372 Forsythe boulevard, will be hostess this afternoon at a mixed tea at the home of her parents. About 300 members of the college set have been invited. The following young women have been asked to serve at the tea tables: Miss Josephine Scullin, Miss Louise Rexford, Miss Christine Fordyce, Miss Charlotte Blake, Miss Anne Ferris, Miss Grace Jones, Miss Helen Ledbetter, Miss Louise Goddard and Miss Margaret Vieths.

Miss Blackmer will depart for the East Jan. 8 to resume her studies at Vassar College.

Miss Mary Brooks Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Holmes, 6500 Forsythe boulevard, who will become the bride of Francis Boyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Boyer of Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 19, has announced her attendants as follows: Miss Amy Walcott of Litchfield, Conn., her former roommate at Miss Porter's School, Farmington, Conn., will be maid of honor. Miss Marian Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lionberger Davis; Miss Janet Gardner, daughter of former Gov. and Mrs. Frederick D. Gardner; Miss Caro Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmes and a cousin of the prospective bride; Miss Janet Shields, daughter of Mrs. George H. Shields; Mrs. Allan Smith, daughter of Mrs. J. Herndon Smith; Miss Elise Whittemore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton L. Whittemore; Miss Elizabeth Seymore of Cleveland, O.; Miss Anita Shields of Philadelphia, and Miss Ruth Walker of Boston, Mass., will be bridesmaids.

Smith-Benoist Nuptials

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George S. Tiffany of Chesterfield, Mo. Mrs. Pratt was Miss Mary Christy Tiffany and is a cousin of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McCord and Mrs. Charles A. Faris, cousins of Mr. Benoist, were here from St. Joseph, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Benoist are both members of old and prominent St. Louis families. The bride's mother, the late Grace Platt Smith, was a belle, and her maternal grandfather was the late Henry S. Platt, a prominent business man of a generation ago. On her father's side she is a descendant of Pierre Laclede, founder of St. Louis. Her paternal grandparents were the late Dr. Elsworth F. and Isabelle Chenie Smith. She is a niece of J. Sheppard Smith and Mrs. J. D. Perry Francis.

Mrs. Benoist made her debut several years ago following her studies at Eden Hall in Torresdale, Pa., and became a member of the Junior League and the Imperial.

Mr. Benoist attended the Newman School and served as an ensign in the Navy during the World War.

Miss Virginia Price Weds Tebbetts Breck

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candelabra placed at intervals about the rooms softly illuminated the scene.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a gown of ivory antique satin. The gown made on princess lines had as its only trimming an inserted bertha of deep cream Spanish lace, an heirloom in the family of the bride. Her veil of tulle was arranged with a cap of lace adorned in orange blossoms, and fell the entire length of the long court train. She carried orchids and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Nulsen wore a robe de style of rose net and lace and carried briar cliffe roses. The flower girl was in a period costume of flesh tinted taffeta and carried a small colonial bouquet and the ring bearer wore a page's costume of pale green taffeta.

A reception was held immediately after the wedding. The bridal table was decorated with pink roses and pink snap dragon and was lighted by pink tapers in silver holders.

The bride was graduated from Mary Institute and attended Ely Court, Greenwich, Conn. Mr. Breck was graduated from Washington University. Following the honeymoon Mr. Breck and his bride will make their home in New York. Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bonfig and Dr. and Mrs. John Walker of Kansas City.

French Court Costume Ball at Jefferson, Jan. 11

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courtiers, ladies in waiting and court characters of those periods.

A series of famous French masterpieces will be featured in living pictures, the characters being assumed by local belles and beaux. The masterpieces to be portrayed are "The Shepardess" by Boucher; "Diana the Huntress" by Mattier; "The Serenade" by Lancret, and "Joan of Arc" by Boutet de Monvel. Mrs. Eugene D. Williams Jr. is chairman of the costume committee for the living pictures and William van Dresser, the portrait painter, will direct the presentation.

Another feature of the spectacle will be a court dance presented by the king and queen group which will be assembled by Mrs. Henry Cushman and directed by Harry Trimp.

Valuable gifts will be presented to those guests whose costumes are judged to be the handsomest worn at the ball. Mrs. Joseph Werner and Mrs. Virgil Lewis are chairmen of the award committee.

Mrs. Charles Parsons Pettus and Mrs. Harold M. Kauffman are chairmen of the music committee and Louis LeBeaume is chairman of arrangements.

Mrs. Mary B. Pollard is president of the St. Louis Art Alliance. In inaugurating this annual ball, St. Louis art patrons are following the custom that obtains in New York and Philadelphia, where the annual art balls are numbered among the most brilliant and artistic functions of the social season.

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New York Society At Christmas Fetes

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

OLD-FASHIONED Yuletide festivities in the country, twentieth century parties for the very modern juniors, and entertainments in aid of charity made social New York's Christmas week resemble a three-ring circus.

Many members of society departed for the country to spend a holiday reminiscent of medieval days, while others devoted themselves to the whirl of parties given for the debutantes and school boys and girls home for the holidays. Debutantes were particularly zealous in crowding in their coming-out parties, since after the first of the year they cease to occupy the center ring of the "social circus."

So many functions were given, so many calendars became confused that many a weary and bewildered debutante, discovering she had accepted several dinner invitations for the same evening, took her soup course in one home, her salad in another and her dessert in a third. And the festivities moved on—far into the night and morning.

The supper dance which Mr. and Mrs. Frederick de Peyster gave at the Park Lane Christmas eve in honor of their daughter Alice was one of the most colorful of the debutante parties. The ballroom walls were lined with smilax banked with poinsettias and holly, while Christmas trees, ablaze with vari-colored lights and tinsel, occupied each end of the room. A Santa Claus distributed a crystal necklace to each feminine guest during supper. The merrymakers danced until 5 o'clock in the morning, and then went home to hang up Christmas stockings.

While supper dances were the most popular method of entertaining the debutantes and juniors, dinners and receptions equally brilliant in tone held the attention of their elders. Mrs. Graham Fair Vanderbilt, who has long made a Christmas night party her custom, entertained on that evening at her home on East Sixty-ninth street.

James Speyer, who has as his house guests John Dyneley Prince, American Minister to Jugo-Slavia, and Mrs. Prince, gave his customary Christmas eve party; while Mrs. Reginald de Koven entertained that evening at a dinner and musical.

The days when the Yule log was hauled into the baronial hall amid feasting and the singing of minstrels were revived for members of New York society who chose to spend Christmas at the winter resort of Lake Placid. Many well-known New Yorkers donned costumes and joined the bands who left the club Christmas eve to bring in the Yule log, and later took part in the ceremonial lighting. Friday they participated in the ceremony of finding the mistletoe, after the ancient Druid custom, and between holiday festivities they enjoyed the skating. Harold Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Borden are among those who took cottages for the holiday period and are entertaining house parties.

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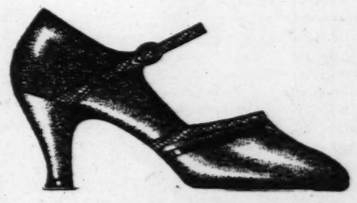
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Miss Veazey is a graduate of Ward Belmont College in Nashville, Tenn., and is now a senior at Washington University.

Dr. Means received his Bachelor of Arts degree at Drury College, and Doctor of Medicine from Washington University. He is a member of Sigma Nu and Phi Beta fraternities.

The engagement of Miss Mary Ruth Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Mason, 7245 Sarah avenue, Maplewood, and Vernon Earl Stillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stillman of 1127 Center drive, Hampton Park, was announced at a bridge luncheon given Friday by Mrs. Mason at their home.

Miss Mason attended Washington University and is a member of the faculty of the Leo C. Miller Music School. Mr. Stillman was graduated from Washington University and is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Miss Marion Clinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clinton of 6015 Kingsbury boulevard, has written notes to her friends announcing her engagement to Jack W. Kelly, son of Mrs. Verna Kelly of Los Angeles, Cal. Miss Clinton attended the University of Missouri and the University of Wisconsin. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Ray H. Bather of 2537 Victor street has announced the marriage of his sister, Dorothy Mildred Bather, and Walter H. Hahn, son of Mrs. Emma Hahn of Hotel Saum. The wedding took place last evening at the home of the bride's brother, the Rev. W. L. Nash, pastor of the Baptist Church of Maplewood, officiating. Miss Emma Hahn was the bride's only attendant and Mr. Bather was best man for Mr. Hahn.

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of Marionville, Mo., was announced last week at a luncheon given last week by the prospective bride in honor of Miss Ethel Du Bois of Paducah, Ky., who is her guest.

Miss Veazey is a graduate of Ward Belmont College in Nashville, Tenn., and is now a senior at Washington University.

Dr. Means received his Bachelor of Arts degree at Drury College, and Doctor of Medicine from Washington University. He is a member of Sigma Nu and Phi Beta fraternities.

The engagement of Miss Mary Ruth Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Mason, 7245 Sarah avenue, Maplewood, and Vernon Earl Stillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stillman of 1157 Center drive, Hampton Park, was announced at a bridge luncheon given Friday by Mrs. Mason at their home.

Miss Mason attended Washington University and is a member of the faculty of the Leo C. Miller Music School. Mr. Stillman was graduated from Washington University and is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Miss Marion Clinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clinton of 6015 Kingsbury boulevard, has written notes to her friends announcing her engagement to Jack W. Kelly, son of Mrs. Verna Kelly of Los Angeles, Cal. Miss Clinton attended the University of Missouri and the University of Wisconsin. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Ray H. Bather of 2557 Victor street has announced the marriage of his sister, Dorothy Mildred Bather, and Walter H. Hahn, son of Mrs. Emma Hahn of Hotel Saum. The wedding took place last evening at the home of the bride's brother, the Rev. W. L. Nash, pastor of the Baptist Church of Maplewood, officiating. Miss Emma Hahn was the bride's only attendant and Mr. Bather was best man for Mr. Hahn.

After Jan. 15 Mr. Hahn and his bride will be at home at 1040 Taylor avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Windweh, 6619 Washington boulevard, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Hattie Lucille, to Harry Gasen, Thursday evening, Dec. 27. The bride was graduated from Lindenwood College and Mr. Gasen is a graduate of the University of Illinois. After their wedding trip they will make their home in University City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kronzberg, 1344 Bayard avenue, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ida Kronzberg, and Sam Rothman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Rothman, 4711 Vernon avenue, Dec. 16.

The engagement of Miss Edna Bareis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bareis, of 3450 Giles avenue, to Charles Schraudenbach Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schraudenbach of Kingshighway Park, was announced Friday at a party given by Miss Virginia Kretschmar in honor of the bride-to-be. The wedding will be next fall.

Miss Bareis is a senior at Washington University where she is a member of Kappa Phi sorority. Mr. Schraudenbach is an alumnus of Washington University and is a member of Alpha Chi Sigma.

Miss Olga Warmann announced her engagement on Christmas Day to William Braun. Miss Warmann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Warmann of Bonhomme Road, Clayton, Mo. Mr. Braun is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Braun of Hepsisau, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. David Grimsky, 1425 Hamilton avenue, announced the engagement on Christmas day of their daughter, Miss Lottie Grimsky, to A. Schneider. No date for the wedding has been set.

Miss Thelma Shuck of Houston, Mo., and Erby Henry of St. Louis, were married Sunday at the Centenary Methodist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Shuck of Eminence, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Staudinger, 3621 Castleman avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Staudinger, and Robert C. Mare, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harry Mare, 4357 West Pine boulevard.

Miss Staudinger and her fiance are graduates of Washington University, where she became a member of Pi Beta Phi and Mr. Mare of Kappa Alpha. He is a member of the Missouri Athletic Association. The wedding date has not been set.

The engagement of Miss Mildred Bischoff, daughter of Mrs. Byron Cade, 7109 Kingsbury boulevard, and Albert Louis Nelson Jr., 4216 Flora place, was announced Wednesday at a bridge luncheon given at the Coronado Hotel.

The marriage of Miss Florence Koenigsberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Koenigsberg of Hotel Chase, and Frank W. Weberman of Pittsburg, Pa., will take place today at the Savoy Plaza Hotel in New York, the Rev. Dr. Thorner officiating.

The pair will sail Jan. 2 on the Augustus for a honeymoon trip abroad. They will take a Mediterranean cruise, and later will visit in Italy, France, Switzerland, Germany and England, returning to make their home in Pittsburg after April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bialock, 1411 Arlington avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Carolyn Bialock, and Lawrence J. Meisel, 2322 University street.

Mr. Meisel is a graduate of the Engineering School of Washington University.

The wedding will take place Jan. 14.

Announcement was made yesterday of the engagement of Miss Virginia Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Stephens, 4936 Lotus place, and Charles E. Reis Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Reis, 2676 Dover place, at a luncheon which Miss Stephens gave at Hillcrest Country Club in honor of her guest, Miss Agnes O'Connor of Dallas, Tex.

The table, seating 22 guests, was laid in the sunroom. A basket of yellow roses formed a center piece and candle holders with yellow tapers completed the color scheme. The favors were little gift baskets.

The announcement came when the waiter removed the centerpiece basket, revealing a miniature wedding cake with a bride and groom. Ice cream followed, which was decorated with tiny white hearts on which were printed the names of the pair.

Miss Stephens is a graduate of the Sacred Heart Convent, Maryville, and attended Webster College. Mr. Reis is a graduate of St. Louis University and is a member of the Delta Theta Phi fraternity. He is associated in business with his father. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Nora Doelling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Doelling of 2755 Armand place, and Arthur H. Grund, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil C. Grund, were married Wednesday evening, Nov. 28, at St. Luke's Evangelical Church.

Miss Hazel Biehl was maid of honor and Mrs. Robert Stuart, Miss Eunice Kirm and Miss Caroline Wisthplaelinger were bridesmaids. Erol Doelling was best man and O. Birch Adams, Earl C. Jacobs and Lester Jasper were groomsmen. A wedding dinner and reception followed the ceremony.

Mrs. Grund and his bride are making their home at 3135 Halliday avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Krallman of Normandy announce the engagement of their daughter, Mabel, to Jean R. Merz, son of Dr. and Mrs. Adolph Merz, 1137 Kingshighway Park.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Thien of 3328 North Ninth street, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Helen to Nelson E. Weber, Dec. 24. Mr. Weber and his bride will make their home in Little Rock, Ark.

Debutante Ball for Almira Steedmann

MORE than 200 guests, members of the debutante set, attended a ball Friday evening at the St. Louis Country Club, given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Steedman of 24 Westmoreland place, to introduce to the younger members of society their daughter, Miss Almira Steedman. A similar party to which the older members of society were invited to meet the debutante was among the important social affairs earlier in the month.

Tables seating 25 guests were decorated with small Christmas trees shimmering with tinsel and crystal ornaments. Tall, red Christmas candles burned in branched silver candelabra. The club, beautiful in Christmas decorations against hangings of silver cloth, furnished an appropriate setting.

Surrounded by bouquets of gift flowers arranged effectively about the lounge, the guest of honor, assisted by her parents, her debutante cousin, Miss Medora Steedman, and her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ashcroft of Evanston, Ill., welcomed the guests.

Dwight Davis to North Carolina.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 29.—Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis will spend next week in North Carolina on a hunting trip, Gov. Angus W. McLean said today.

MISS MIRIAM GRUNER



Miss Gruner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gruner, 7005 Lindell boulevard, was complimented at a dinner dance Thursday which her parents gave at Woodlawn Country Club. —Ashen-Brenner.

MISS MAXINE FORD BRAY



Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Bray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bray of 5746 Westminster place, and Ronald Jamison Foulis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foulis of 2716 Wheaton avenue. —Dieckman.

MISS EMILYN ARBOGAST



The engagement of Miss Arbogast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Arbogast, 23 Amherst avenue and Harry G. Giessow, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Giessow of 1210 Oakley place, has been announced. —Dieckman.



MISS ELLEN C. CRAIG
Miss Craig, head of the English and Latin departments of Hosmer Hall, who recently returned from a tour of Europe. —Sid Whiting.

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MORE than 325 have been invited to the Masque Club dance tonight at the Biscayne Yacht Club.

Women from all over this country who attended with husbands and sons the annual convention of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity here are being entertained at a series of functions given by the wives and mothers clubs of the local alumni. This afternoon they were attracted by a polo meet on Miami Beach and tonight were invited to be honor guests at dinner at the City Club.

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Items of Social Interest From the Army Post

MRS. ADDIE CRUTCHFIELD has returned to her home in Hope, Ark., after spending several months with her son and daughter-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. Robert H. Vesey.

Lieut. Harry Halterman of the Sixth Infantry, spent the Christmas holidays in New Haven, Conn.

Lieut. and Mrs. Clinton J. Ancker and Lieut. and Mrs. Willis S. Matthews will entertain at a dinner party at the Officers Club tomorrow evening preceding the New Years dance at the Red Cross Hostess House. Pink roses and pink tapers will be used for table decorations. The guests will include Col. and Mrs. Moor N. Falls, Maj. and Mrs. Henry B. McIntyre, Maj. and Mrs. William E. Hall, Maj. and Mrs. Louis P. Ford, Capt. and Mrs. Harry B. Hildebrand, Capt. and Mrs. Arvid P. Croonquist, Capt. and Mrs. Harry V. Hand, Capt. and Mrs. Lloyd Zuppmann, Capt. and Mrs. Arthur G. Hutchinson, Capt. and Mrs. Frank E. Brokaw, Capt. and Mrs. George C. Nielson, Capt. and Mrs. Earl Almon, Capt. and Mrs. John R. DeVall, Capt. and Mrs. Fred O. Wickham, Capt. and Mrs. Raymond I. Lovell, Capt. and Mrs. Frank W. Romaine, Capt. and Mrs. Arnold M. Reeve, Lieut. and Mrs. Robert H. Vesey, Lieut. and Mrs. Charles Higgins, Lieut. and Mrs. Rudolph Broedlow, Lieut. and Mrs. James C. Welch, Lieut. and Mrs. Crump Garvin, Lieut. and Mrs. Nathan A. Smith, Lieut. and Mrs. Bryan S. Halter, Lieut. and Mrs. Ray S. Larkins, Lieut. and Mrs. Creswell G. Blakeney, Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Pollock, Miss Virginia Stillwell, Lieut. Arthur E. Dewey and Lieut. Albert H. Dickerson.

Capt. and Mrs. Fred O. Wickham and children have returned from a short visit with relatives in Kennet, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rowland and two small children departed Wednesday for their home in Chicago, Ill., after a short visit with Lieut. and Mrs. Willis S. Matthews.

Col. and Mrs. Moor N. Falls will be at home at their quarters to the officers, ladies and their guests on New Year's day from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Mary Ross, who is attending St. Elizabeth Academy, spent the Christmas holidays with her father, Capt. Glenn A. Ross.

Mrs. William E. Hall and daughter, Mary Jeanette, will arrive tomorrow from Massilon, O., where they spent the holidays with relatives.

On Thursday evening the dancing class of Miss Maxine Hesse gave an enjoyable Dancing Doll Review at the Jefferson Barracks theater.

Lieut. John H. Judd of Fort Sheridan, Ill., spent the holidays with his family in Jefferson Barracks.

Miss Francis Hutchinson gave a Christmas party last week at the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Hutchinson. The guests were Miss Jeanette Vesey, Miss Eleanor Brokaw, Miss Virginia Hildebrand, Miss Hannah McIntyre, Miss Gertrude Reeve, Miss Doris Brokaw, Miss Katherine Hildebrand, Miss Dorothy Smith, Miss Gwendolyn Halter and Miss Barbara Jones.

Sunday school and Catholic church services by Father Dalton will be held at the post chapel this morning.

Christmas Party.

The Daughters of Mary gave a Christmas party yesterday afternoon to about 800 patients at the City Infirmary. The club, composed of 16 Catholic women, served a dinner and distributed Christmas gifts to the patients.

Social Calendar of the Week

TODAY—Mixed tea, Mr. and Mrs. William C. D'Arcy, 6 Hortense place.

Luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferriss, St. Louis Country Club.

Buffet supper, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin G. Chapman, 58 Kingsbury place, for Miss Jaqueline Chapman, Bellerive Country Club.

MONDAY—Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCulloch, 4394 Westminster place, for Miss Mary Sue McCulloch.

New Year's eve party, Mr. and Mrs. George Fox Steedman, for Miss Florence Pettus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Pettus, St. Louis Country Club.

Pre-wedding party, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westerman Shipley, 7226 Forsythe boulevard, for Miss Olive Moffitt and her fiance, Joseph Willett Holliday.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel B. Randolph, 4628 Pershing avenue, for Miss Dorothy Drew and Miss Janet Orthwein, St. Louis Country Club.

TUESDAY—Luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur B. Jones, 4306 Westminster place, for Miss Frances and Miss Marie Wilson, St. Louis Country Club.

Mixed tea, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Rand, 7100 Delmar boulevard, for their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eugene Rand.

Mixed tea, Mr. and Mrs. Eberhard Anheuser, "Golfinhurst," from 5 to 7 p. m.

Mixed tea, Mr. and Mrs. P. Taylor Bryan Jr., 4629 Pershing avenue.

Informal at home, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton L. Whittemore, 6420 Forsythe boulevard.

Mixed tea, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Ivers Meier, 6457 Cecil avenue.

Informal morning reception, Mr. and Mrs. Chapin S. Newhard, 4392 Maryland avenue, for Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton Monins of Ringwould, Kent, England.

Informal reception, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon B. Wallace Jr., St. Louis Country Club grounds.

Informal reception, Miss Katherine Koerber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koeber, Hampton Park.

WEDNESDAY—Wedding, Miss Dorothy Drew, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ingham Drew and Kenneth Lemoine Green Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Green, at 5 p. m., at St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church. Reception at St. Louis Country Club.

THURSDAY—Wedding of Miss Evelyn Laura Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Mansell Hart, 2428 Russell boulevard, and Loren Willing Wood, at 4 p. m., at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church.

FRIDAY—Dinner dance, Miss Roccena Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Warrington Baldwin, 28 Westmoreland place, for Miss Ellen Bates, Miss Eleanor Church, Miss Marie Wilson and Miss Almira Steedman, St. Louis Country Club.

SATURDAY—Story Book Costume party, Mr. and Mrs. William David Orthwein II for Miss Janet Orthwein, daughter of Mrs. Frederick C. Orthwein, Bridle Spur Club.

Luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. August A. Busch Jr., for Mr. and Mrs. George Leib of Burlingame, Cal., Bridle Spur Club.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Williams Jr., at St. Louis Country Club for Miss Anne West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alleff T. West.

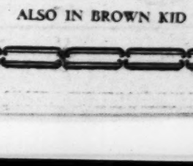
Wedding, Miss Olive Moffitt, daughter of Mrs. Hathaniel L. Moffitt, and Joseph Willett Holliday, Grace Methodist Episcopal Church.

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News of the Women's Clubs and Societies

THE only activity of the coming week in the Wednesday Club will be the miscellaneous program at 3 p. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Everett W. Pattison is the leader. Mrs. William Samuel Scott will head the program with an address on the New York Theater Guild and Its Plays. John Ferguson by Sir John Irvine. Ned McCobb's Daughter by Sidney Howard, The Doctor's Dilemma by Bernard Shaw, and The Second Man by S. N. Behrman.

Miss Jane Froman, daughter of Mrs. Anna Froman, who won a scholarship in the Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, O., will sing. Her group comprises: Two Bergerettas, Wacherlin; Bitterness of Love, Dunn, and The Open, La Forge.

The unusual travel experiences of club members were to have been related earlier in the season, but were postponed on account of the adventures of two club guests, which filled the time alloted on Oct. 24. Among those who will contribute to this part of the program will be Mrs. Frank C. Belser, Mrs. Edward Flad, Mrs. Carl F. G. Meyer, Mrs. Blair Ridington, Mrs. Frederick J. Taussig, Mrs. Carlos Tredway and Mrs. Edward Worcester Jr.

Tea will be served.

Ransom Relief Corps No. 6 will not hold a meeting Tuesday as planned, but will have its installation of officers Jan. 15.

The St. Louis Council of Women will hold its annual Christmas party for members at Alhambra Grotto, 2626 South Grand boulevard, Thursday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Walter Abell, chairman in charge of the program, has requested each member to bring a gift. Surprises have been planned by the Special Arrangements Committee.

Christmas music for the occasion will be provided by Mme. Clara E. Thoms and several of her students.

The College Club will not have its usual meeting Tuesday as it is New Year's day. Wednesday, at 3:45 p. m., however, the Music Study group under the leadership of Mrs. George L. Schaberg will have its regular meeting at which polyphonic music and Bach will be studied.

Thursday, at 3:30 p. m., the French Study group under the leadership of Miss Roberta McCulloch will review and discuss Henri Bernstein's play "Le Secret."

The art section of Scottish Rite Women's Club will not meet Wednesday, as scheduled.

The social section will meet Wednesday, at 2:30 p. m., in the lounge of Scottish Rite Cathedral. Following a short business session, bridge, 500 and lotto will be played. Mrs. C. L. Barr is chairman of the section, Mrs. A. R. Miller vice chairman and Mrs. J. A. Hillman secretary.

The music section, Miss Dorothy Rapp, chairman, will meet Friday, at 10 a. m. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Edward S. Hager will present the following program.

Sketch of Mendelssohn's Life
Mrs. Joseph C. O'Neal
a—On Wings of Music
b—The Violet
c—Zulaika
Mrs. Jos. A. Miller accompanied by Miss M. Pugh
Duet—I Would That My Love
Mrs. E. G. Matthiesen and Mrs. W. S. Campbell
Piano Solos—Rondo Capriciosa
Consolation
Mrs. August F. Henke
Duet—I Waited for the Lord
Mrs. Matthiesen and Mrs. Alva N. Blaney
O Rest in the Lord
Mrs. Chas. G. Gund
Spring Song
Mrs. M. Russell
Duet—O Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast
Mrs. John A. Guhl and Mrs. Edw. S. Hager
O for Wings of a Dove
Mrs. Horace R. Davis

Preliminary to the presentation of the group of four plays by the Theater Guild of New York here during the week of Jan. 7, Mrs. Samuel Scott of 5638 Kingsbury avenue will give an explanatory talk, on Friday evening, at the Town Club, for members and their guests.

Guest privileges will be extended by the club and a special dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m.

Sorority Circle closed its charitable activities for the year with the presentation, on Christmas eve, of 16 Christmas baskets to as many needy families. This is an annual custom of the circle. The baskets were filled by a committee at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Arthur Kramer, 3645 Cleveland avenue.

Recently, a former president of the circle, who is now an invalid, gave $100 to establish a fund to be called the SOS Fund, for the purpose of caring for an orphan girl. The circle will add to this sum from time to time, when necessary, to keep this child in a pleasant home and in school, until she becomes self-supporting.

In addition to the above mentioned fund, Mrs. J. A. Bleakney finance chairman, has planned a budget, requiring the expenditure of $500, which has been accepted by the club. One hundred dollars of this amount is to be used for crippled children.

The president, Mrs. L. E. Wilcox, entertained the executive board at her home, 5100 Cabanne avenue, Friday, Dec. 21. The regular meetings of the circle will be resumed Jan. 10.

Uandi Literary Club will study Renaissance Literature at its meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. Lyle Campbell, 5854 Waterman avenue.

"Dante and Boccacio" are to be discussed by Mrs. G. O. Herbert. This paper is to be supplemented by an Italian story by Mrs. Herbert F. Boettler. Mrs. Evelyn M. Y. Knapp will give a paper on "Montaigne and Cervantes."

The book review will be "Old Pybus."

Mrs. Louis L. McCormack will assist Mrs. Campbell as hostess.

The Alpha Delphian Chapter will meet Monday, Jan. 7, at 2 p. m., at Cabanne Branch Library. Mrs. B. A. Thompson will preside. The subject will be, "At the Dawn of the Industrial Revolution." Mrs. R. B. Huette will lead the meeting and give a short resume of the history of England of the Nineteenth Century. Topics will be given as follows: "The Reconstruction of Europe in 1815," Mrs. Matilda Krall; "Social Conditions in England in the Early Nineteenth Century," Mrs. George J. Heerich; "Early Social Legislation," Mrs. George Brennan; "When the Red Cross Appeared," Mrs. E. H. Hooper; "The Prime Ministers of the Nineteenth Century," Mrs. R. C. Bridges; and "The English System of Government," Mrs. Frank Keiser.

The Ben Akiba Aid Society will meet Wednesday at Temple Israel at 2 p. m. Memorial services will be conducted by Mrs. Henry Jacobson at 3 p. m. A musical program will be given by Miss Ruth Berger of East St. Louis and Mrs. Belle Cornitius.

The Daughters of Isabella Bally Circle No. 170 gave a Christmas party last Sunday for 100 children of St. Bridget's School. There was a Christmas tree and toys for the children who entertained their hostesses with a Christmas play.

The St. Louis Women's Christian Association, of which Mrs. Clay E. Jordan is president, will hold its quarterly meeting Wednesday at 10:30 a. m., at the Women's Christian Home, 2701 Locust street. The election of officers will take place and final arrangements will be made for the annual meeting, Jan. 16.

Memorial Home, Blind Girls' Home, Women's Christian Home, Russell Home and Catherine Springer Home, branches of the association, have elected officers and will give details of the last year's work at the quarterly meeting.

In its annual observance of foreign missions month, the Woman's Missionary Society of West Presbyterian Church will hold its December meeting in the church parlor tomorrow at 2:30 p. m.

The devotional will be given by Mrs. William B. Lampe, and the address of the afternoon by Mrs. Roy Heimburger, who will leave in January with her husband to resume interrupted missionary work in China. A "Gesu Bambino" by Tlepro-A-Yom, will be sung by Miss Bernice Campbell, with Miss Helen McKay at the piano.

Members of Mrs. George Stoner's Missionary Circle will act as hostesses at the tea and informal reception following the meeting, in honor of Mrs. Heimburger.

Mrs. Oscar Cramer, president of the Missionary Society, will preside. Mrs. W. H. Bissland will have charge of the program and Mrs. Frank P. Davidson the music.



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DRESSES, Originally Priced to $25, now..... $12
DRESSES, Originally Priced to $35, now..... $15

FROM FRENCH ROOM

DRESSES, Originally Priced to $49.50, now $22
DRESSES, Originally Priced to $89.50, now $32

(Sonnenfeld's Dress Shops—Fourth Floor)

FUR COATS

Reduced for Clearance!

FUR COATS, Originally Priced up to $125..... $88
FUR COATS, Originally Priced up to $250..... $148
FUR COATS, Originally Priced up to $375..... $248

(Sonnenfeld's Fur Salons—Third Floor)

MILLINERY

Reduced for Clearance!

87 HATS from our Millinery Salon ORIGINALLY PRICED UP TO $20, reduced to $5
142 HATS from Chapeaux de Luxe Shop, ORIGINALLY PRICED UP TO $10, reduced to..... $3

(Sonnenfeld's—Second Floor)

SILK LINGERIE

Originally $1.95 to $25

Slightly soiled Gowns, Pajamas, Teddies, Step-ins and Bloomers of various materials. Reduced for clearance to..... ⅓ OFF and ½ OFF

Clearance of Bags ORIGINALLY TO $4.95 Silk and leather materials. Reduced to..... $2

Robes and Negligees Slightly soiled garments, ORIGINALLY PRICED $7.95 TO $45, reduced to ⅓ OFF

(Sonnenfeld's—First Floor)

IN OUR DOWNSTAIRS SHOPS

DRESSES—Clearance

Remaining Winter Models Originally to $12.75! $3.95

A group of Satins, Silk Crepes and Jerseys at A FRACTION OF THEIR COST to close out.....

High-Shade Dresses $6

Advance Spring styles; just unpacked, and specially underpriced at.....

Clearance of COATS

Fur-Trimmed Models That Sold Originally to $29.75 $18

Dressy Coats, with beautiful fur collars; some with cuffs; in shades of tan, black, etc. Now .....

Fur-Trimmed Coats $12.50

Another clearance group of Winter Coats reduced to BELOW COST at

Clearance! 800 Hats! Originally to $5. $1

Trimmed and Sports Hats

Felts, Failles, Bengalines, Satins, Metallics, Chenille Hats and Combinations in wanted shades and small to extra large head sizes.

300 Were Taken From Our Upstairs Shops

STIX

Shop M



Very Special!

Rosine Toilet Water

Original 7-oz. Bottle

$3.59

Delightful fragrances created by this celebrated Parisian parfumeur are in original flacons of interesting beauty. Rare value!

CARON'S CHRISTMAS NIGHT PERFUME in bulk; special, oz., $10

CARON'S BLACK NARCISSE PERFUME in approximately ½-ounce flacons; special $2.19

GABILLA'S SWEET PEA PERFUME in bulk, at ounce .. $3.95

YBRY'S FRENCH PERFUME in the ravishing Femme de Paris and Devinez odeurs, sealed in original bottles in leather cases $5.67

JODELLE PERFUME, exclusive with Stix, Baer and Fuller in original ½-ounce bottles; special $6.50

TOILET WATER in 8-ounce bottles to match; special at.... $6

(Street Floor.)



"Josanne" Bridge Cards

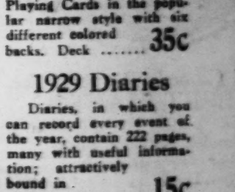
For the New Year party choose our special "Josanne" Playing Cards in the popular narrow style with six different colored backs. Deck 35c

1929 Diaries

Diaries, in which you can record every event of the year, contain 222 pages, many with useful information; attractively bound in cloth 15c

Leather and cloth bound Year Books, Standard and Excelsior makes, are priced at..... 39c to $3.75

(Street Floor.)



The Januar Women's

—Includes Our Exclusi Pedemode Models! Save

$7.95 $8.95

So exceptional are the savi wise to choose several pairs tions! And so wide is the ch be satisfied. Black suede... suede...brown and black liza leather...in styles for street

There is a complete ran as a whole . . . but not, of

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Sale of Silk Remnants

Quality Silks Priced Amazingly Low!

Silks and Velvets from France, Switzerland, Germany, Japan and China as well as from the foremost mills in America; special purchases and silks from our regular stocks are in lengths of one-half to four yards.
(Second Floor.)

Shop Monday! Store Will Be Closed All Day Tuesday!



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"Paris Meme"

—the New Straw That Has Achieved International Success in Chic Hats!

"Paris Meme" is not just another straw. It is a fashion. It is the mode . . . as "very like Paris" as its intriguing name. And its career is one of international importance since it begins as a very fine Swiss straw . . . handwoven by Mme. Menotti at her world-known place at Capri, Italy . . . then introduced to Paris by none other than Reboux . . . and now comes across the ocean to be a leading vogue for American women! We have it on good authority that few women who went into Reboux's have come out without a hat of Paris Meme!

The Millinery Salon introduces Paris Meme . . . the lustrous, glistening, pliable straw that lends itself to felt-like treatment, in Hats at..... $15 to $25
(Third Floor.)

New Year Candy Special



Box of Assorted Candies

3 *Pounds for* $1.00

A special box of Bonbons . . . Milk Chocolates . . . Caramels . . . and many other favorites, freshly made in our own candy kitchens—a wonderful "treat" for New Year's.
(Street Floor.)

Bakery Specials

Large Butter Cream . . . Chocolate . . . Caramel . . . and Cocoanut Layer Cakes, special.....90c
Half Cakes 45c
Angel Cakes, each 60c
Leader Fruit Cakes, pound.....80c
(Street Floor.)

Sale—Boys' Leather Coats

Just 250 Genuine Horsehide Coats at the Special Price of

$10.99

By a fortunate special purchase of a manufacturer's surplus stock we are enabled to resent these important and timely savings! Most of the Coats are warmly plaid lined and have large sheepskin storm collars; full belted, four pockets. Single and double breasted models. Black and cordovan. Sizes 8 to 20 years.





Boys' Overcoats & Suits Reduced

$8.98

Well-tailored 2-knicker Suits and warm, all-wool Overcoats in the season's favored styles and colors, are taken from our regular stocks and reduced to this one low price. Suits, 6 to 16; Overcoats, 2 to 8.

Youths' Suits Reduced to

$14.98 *and* **$19.98**

In these two important groups, youths of the most discriminating preferences will find satisfying choice, for the season's smartest models from our regular stocks comprise the offering. There are plenty of double-breasted vest models.

Each Suit Has Two Pairs of Trousers. Sizes Are From 13 to 20 Years

(Student Room—Fourth Floor.)

Special—Photograph Frames

Three Groups of Hand-Carved Swing Frames—Reduced Prices

$1.98 $2.98 $3.98

Here's your opportunity to have your Christmas photograph beautifully framed at amazingly low price! Large selection of hand-carved Frames in the most popular finishes and styles, sizes from 4x6 inches up to 9x13 inches. Bring your photographs with you. (Fifth Floor.)



Men's Union Suits

Chalmers, Lightweight, Specially Priced at..... **$1.15**

Short-sleeve, ankle-length knitted union suits of light-weight cotton, made in closed crotch style with flat seams. White only. Sizes 38 to 46. You'll profit by early selection.

Medium-Weight Union Suits

Just 600 garments; wool-mixed and all-cotton, are greatly reduced for this annual sale. You may choose such well-known brands as Chalmers, Kerry-Knit and others. Long sleeves and ankle length. All sizes, but not in every kind..... $1.85
(Men's Underwear—Street Floor.)

New French Pearl Replicas

Extraordinary Values in a Special Selling at

89c

Lustrous indestructible replica Pearls of a rich cream shade are in fancy pendants, 60-inch knotted chains, straight and graduated chokers, flat pearls, and 30-inch graduated style.
(Street Floor.)



20 Bars of P & G Soap

The Popular White Naphtha—Special at



63c

Now you can buy 20 bars of this high-quality White Naphtha Soap—very popular housecleaning aid—at emphatically worthwhile savings! Buying limit of 20 bars on this feature offering!

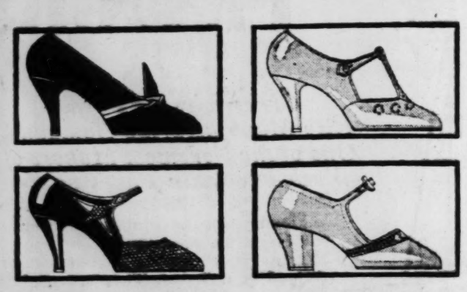
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(Fifth Floor.)

50-Lb. Layer-Felt Mattress

Full or Twin Size—Special Monday..... **$7.95**

An outstanding value . . . this 50-pound all-layer-felt Mattress covered in a durable and attractive art tick. Mattresses are made with roll edge and four rows of side stitching, and there is choice of full or twin size at this amazingly low price!

This Extraordinary Mattress Value Is Featured for Monday's Selling Only!
(Seventh Floor.)



The January Sale of Women's Footwear

—Includes Our Exclusive Corinne and Pedemode Models! Save on Smart Styles at

$7.95 $8.95 $10.95

So exceptional are the savings in this sale that it is wise to choose several pairs of Shoes at these reductions! And so wide is the choice that any need may be satisfied. Black suede...brown suede...colored suede...brown and black lizard...brow kid...patent leather...in styles for street and afternoon costumes!

There is a complete range of sizes in the sale as a whole . . . but not, of course, in every style.
(Second Floor.)



Hundreds of New Frocks in Advance Fashions

The Women's Dress Section Introduces Many New and Smart Styles at

$16.75

Each Frock is an irresistible invitation to replace the Winter Frocks which have become a bit dull! Printed crepes are here in the charming small-flowered designs, the smart bordered patterns, new dotted motifs, and modern geometric designs. Navy Georgette Frocks are newly interesting with Bertha collars and white or beige trimmings. And Crepe Frocks in refreshing new greens, blues, rose-reds, purple, and beige tones have become a midseason necessity! Women's sizes 34 to 46.

Costume Frocks Reduced

One of the outstanding features of the After-Christmas Sale is this offering of ultra-smart Frocks in Winter fashions for daytime, afternoon and evening. Styled with distinction, in preferred Winter fabrics . . . velvet, flat crepe, satin, Georgette, chiffon, metallic cloth. Sizes 34 to 46.

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(Third Floor.)



Savings! Annual Sale of Foundation Garments

Gossard . . . Mme. Irene . . . Mol-May

MOL-MAY COMBINATION of brocade and elastic will achieve the fashionable long lines.... $4.75

MME. IRENE ALL-IN-ONE of elastic and brocade is particularly desirable for evening wear.. $6.75

GOSSARD STEP-IN cleverly designed for the slight figure, is fashioned entirely of all-elastic ..... $1.95 to $3.75

Belt Garment for the large figure..... $2.75
Mol-May All-In-One Garment..... $7.95
Light Wrap-Around, silk brocade & elastic, $4.75
Gossard Brassiere of dainty lace..... $1.00
(Second Floor.)

Kirkwood Social Activities

MR. AND MRS. VERNON FELS Petrson of Kansas City have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Martin during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. J. T. Bell and Miss Bertha Trares have closed their home for the winter months and have taken an apartment at the Kingsway Hotel.

Mrs. Albert Chandler was the hostess at a bridge luncheon Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Joseph R. Mendham has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Miss Nelly Mendham.

Miss Katherine Theobald, daughter of Mrs. A. O. Theobald, who has been spending the Christmas holidays at home, will return to Madison, Wis., to resume her studies at the University of Wisconsin the latter part of this week.

The Phi Lambda fraternity gave its Christmas dance at the Algonquin Country Club Monday evening.

Mrs. Earl F. Young of Los Angeles, Cal., is spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. J. A. Roger.

Mrs. Ralph Murrell of Washington, D. C., has been the guest of her father, J. Will Finlay, and family. Mrs. Murnell was called here because of the illness and death of her mother.

Mrs. A. A. Jekel of South Kirkwood road has returned from Boulder, Colo., where she was the guest of relatives for 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Scott have gone to New York, where they will be the guests of their son, Robert F. Scott Jr., and family for two weeks.

Miss Mary Broderick was the hostess at a bridge luncheon yesterday, complimenting Miss Katherine King of Pelham Manor, N. Y., who is the guest of her cousin, Miss Jacqueline Ambler.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kearney were the host and hostess at a bridge party Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. W. Parks of Hillcrest place has returned from Kansas City, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mahood for 10 days.

Miss Julia Winfrey was the hostess at a tea Friday afternoon with Miss Katherine King as the guest of honor.

The annual Christmas party sponsored by the Board of Managers of the Old Folks Home of St. Louis County for the inmates of the home was given Monday afternoon.

The Christmas party planned by the Study Hour Club for Thursday has been postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Gratz of New York have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzhugh Randolph during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Whittier Spaulding, Holtwood, Pa., and their small son who have been the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Moore of North Kirkwood road, will return to their home the last of the week.

The Solari Guild held its formal opening last Thursday evening when they presented a play by Barrie, "Pantaloon." The cast included Maudean Jones-Crane, Helen McFarland, Irma Summa, Virginia Solari, Gordon Summers and Percy Ramsay.

Mrs. J. C. Berger of Flat River, Mo., was the week-end guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huckins of Chicago are spending the holidays with Mrs. C. M. Huckins of North Kirkwood road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jennings of Clay avenue have had as their guests during the past week Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fry and Miss Charlotte Fry of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Noxon, formerly of Webster Groves, have moved to Kirkwood and are domiciled in the H. C. Stribling home on South Kirkwood road. Mr. and Mrs. Stribling have gone to San Antonio, where they will spend several months.

Mrs. G. W. Montgomery was the hostess of her bridge club Dec. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Mann of Springfield, Mo., spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Irvine McGirk and family of North Taylor avenue.

Mrs. Paul Versen was the hostess at the regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club the afternoon of Dec. 20. Miss Florence Burgess was the assistant hostess. The Rev. Dr. Jay T. Stocking of the Pilgrim Congregational Church spoke on "Education for Peace."

Card Party for Convent.

The regular monthly card party for the benefit of the Convent of the Good Shepherd will be held Jan. 18 at Nugent's auditorium. These monthly parties are sponsored by the captains of the Convent of the Good Shepherd Auxiliary Association. Friends of the convent may attend.

P. E. O. Board Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the cooperative Board of P. E. O. in St. Louis will meet at the Roosevelt Hotel Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. with members of Chapter E L as hostesses. ...

Webster Groves

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Ball of South Rock Hill road, their daughter, Miss Marie Ball, and their sister, Miss Shelley Ball, have returned from Memphis, Tenn., where they spent the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Miss Beatrice Hyndman Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carter of Portland terrace, will be the hostess at a supper dance and bridge party New Year's eve. The guests will motor to "Old Barn Inn" at St. Albans, where breakfast will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer Miles of Gray Summit, Mo., were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Williams of Helfenstein place during the past week.

Mrs. Edward L. Blackmer of 245 Blackmer place is at the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium convalescing from injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

Mr. Horace Beck of Baltimore, Md., was the guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hamilton of Trevilian terrace during the past week.

Mrs. Charles S. Maybury of South Gore avenue will be the hostess for her bridge club at luncheon Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. William Deichmann of "Dykes Manor" will give a tea dance New Year's afternoon from 5 to 8 o'clock, complimenting her daughter, Miss Olivia Deichmann.

Mrs. L. E. Burnett of Colorado Springs, Colo., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lincoln during the last 10 days. Mrs. Burnett has gone on to New York, where she will spend several weeks with relatives.

This afternoon Dr. David M. Skilling of the Webster Groves Presbyterian Church will make his twenty-sixth annual talk to men. For a quarter of a century Dr. Skilling has conducted this service. There will be special music by a male chorus.

Mrs. W. H. Ardelette of Bompart avenue has gone to Memphis, Tenn., where she will be the guest of relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. S. R. Tyler of Plant avenue was the hostess Friday faternoon at the annual Christmas party of the Tuesday Club.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Weaver Jr. of Hawthorne avenue were the host and hostess at a dinner Christmas day. The guests were members of the two families.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Leo M. Grace and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Greenland were chaperons at the dance given by the Delta Alpha Delta Sorority Wednesday evening at Algonquin Country Club. Miss Elizabeth Grenland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Greenland is president of the chapter.

Mrs. Dudley M. Clagett of Bompart avenue was the hostess at a tea Friday afternoon, complimenting her daughter, Miss Eleanor Clagett and her guest, Miss Marion Bond of Cincinnati. Mrs. Leo J. Vogt, with Miss Frances Wachter and Miss Viola Comfort, assisted in receiving. Miss Elizabeth Stribling Miss Susan Goodall, Miss Frances Beal, Miss Virginia Skilling, Miss Frances Beal, Miss Virginia McClure, Mis Rosemary Carr and Miss Marion Walker, served at the tea. Following the tea Miss Clagett gave a buffet supper and bridge party for the girls who assisted in serving and her guest, Miss Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mothersill of Big Bend road were the host and hostess at a dinner party Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Neavles of Newport avenue were the host and hostess at a Christmas party given by "The Masquers" Friday evening.

Mrs. Frederick Hutcheson of Fulton, Ky., and her young daughter, Mary Lu, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Walter B. Huette of Sherwood drive.

Miss Jacqueline Anderson of Dallas, Tex., has been spending the holidays in Webster Groves as the guest of Miss Kathleen Barker of Tuxedo boulevard.

The Saturday Evening Dancing Club gave its Christmas party last night at the Monday Club. Mrs. John B. Henkle was the chairman in charge of arrangements and was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hedgcock, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Green, Mr and Mrs. B. F. Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Turner, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Idler and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hicks.

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Dr. and W. E. Leighton have returned from Chicago, where they spent several days.

Mrs. W. C. Huston of Owensboro, Ky., and her daughter, Miss Jane Huston, are spending several weeks in Webster Groves as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Sample and family of Helfenstein place.

Mrs. E. B. Yates, who has been the guest of relatives in Cleveland, O., have returned to Webster Groves to be with her daughter, Mrs. F. G. Fulkerson.

The Lions' Club of Webster Groves held its luncheon meeting at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holekamp, Thursday, Dec. 19. After the luncheon was served the members of the club selected two large cedar trees and cut them down preparatory to bringing them to Webster Groves to be placed for their annual party for underprivileged children at Old Orchard and Big Bend road.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Martha Lorraine Hodgdon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam D. Hodgdon to Edwin Basye Shannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Shannon of Kirkwood. The wedding will take place soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt L. Haymond were the host and hostess at a dinner dance last evening at the Westborough Country Club, complimenting their daughters, Miss Dorothea and Miss Kathryn Haymond.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wurdeman were the host and hostess at a dinner last Sunday at their country home on the Wild Horse Creek road. The guests were members of the St. Louis colony at Sylvan Beach, Mich., during the summer months.

Miss Margaret Katherine Ramsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ramsay, who has bee spending the Christmas holidays at home, will leave Wednesda, for Chicago, where she will resume her studies at Northwestern University.

Mrs. F. P. Knapp has had as her guests during the Christmas vacation her sisters, Miss Edith Gates of New York and Miss Helen Gates of Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Dolsey have had as their guests during the last week Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dolsey of Champaign, Ill.

Miss Ruth Crawley was the hostess at a bridge luncheon Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Manning of Bowling Green, Mo., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hospes of Algonquin Lane during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ellis of Norfolk, Va., and their small son, Everett Jr., are spending the holidays with Mrs. F. E. E[illegible] and family.

Miss Marion Ervin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ervin of Blackmer place, will depart the last of the week for Gulfport, Miss., where she will resume her studies at Gulf Park College. Miss Doris Ervin also will leave in a few days for New Orleans, to return to her studies at Newcom College.

Social News From Ferguson

Mr. Lawrence Cherbonnier, who has been the guest of his aunts, the Misses Case of Carson road, has returned to his home in Racine, Wis.

Mr. A. H. Lincoln of Elizabeth avenue will be hostess to the Tuesday evening Bridge Club New Year's eve.

Mr. Stewart Martin and Mr. Dwight Gove of Salt Lake City, are guests of Mrs. Virginia Hern.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hamilton of Lewisville, Ky., are guests for a week of his sister, Mrs. E. W. Lake of Wesley avenue.

Mrs. Frank Walters of Adams avenue was hostess to the Friday afternoon Bridge Club.

Mr. Arthur J. Lee left Wednesday for Springfield, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pixley of Carson road celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary last evening with a dinner party for 12 guests.

Mr. J. A. Geiser Jr., who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Geiser of Tiffin avenue, has returned to Kansas City.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Mather of Maple avenue are spending the holidays with their sons and their families in Jefferson City.

Charles May, a student at Massachusetts Institute of Technology is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. May of Harrison avenue.

Mr. William Schultz is spending his vacation with his family in Garden City, L. I.

Miss Emma Edwards is in Eureka Springs, Mo., the guest of friends.

Miss Margaret Lee attended a tea at the College Club Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Mather, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Mason and Miss Mina Mason were dinner guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Max Mason of Lawrence place.

Miss Myra Miller, student at William Woods College, Fulton, Mo., is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pixler of Carson road.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chase have been entertaining their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pitts of Mexico, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Pitts are moving to Kansas City.

Mrs. George K. Durham of Tiffin avenue, is the holiday guest of her mother in Des Moines, Ia.

Mr. R. F. Damon of Darst road has joined Mrs. Damon and the children who have been visiting at their old home in Garden City, L. I. Mrs. Damon and children will accompany him when he returns next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tiffin have been entertaining their sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Morton of St. James and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Allen of Canton, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Morton and children have left for Jackson, Mo., to spend the New Year holiday with his parents.

Mrs. Cecelia Groppe and son, Robert, have been entertaining her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Irwin of Luccock Lodge.

To Raise Money For Scholarship

MRS. T. WISTAR WHITE is chairman of the committee on cards and talleys of the Matthew Fontaine Muary Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, which will give its party in the crystal ballroom of the Hotel Chase, Jan. 19, to raise funds for its scholarship fund at Hollister, Mo. Other members of the committee are: Mrs. George N. Martin, Mrs. W. L. Mason, Mrs. W. J. McBurney and Miss Alves Long.

Last year the chapter's card party raised sufficient funds to present a scholarship to Miss Goldie Collier who took honors at the School of the Ozarks. This year the chapter is desirous of sending Miss Ruth Collier, sister of last year's scholarship holder, through the school, and next month's card party is the chapter's main effort in this cause. Mrs. W. L. [illegible] is chairman of the ticket committee.

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Parties and Other Social Events

Sixty members of the school set were guests of Mrs. Estelle D. Cartwright of 6104 Pershing avenue and Mrs. M. B. Dwyer, 6627 University drive, who entertained at a bridge luncheon yesterday at the Congress Hotel for their daughters, Miss Alice D. Heinrichs and Miss Adele Marie Dwyer, students of St. Mary-of-the-Woods, Ind. The decorations were in the Christmas colors with small Christmas trees adorning the tables.

Miss Dorothy Metzger of University City was hostess at a bridge luncheon at the Coronado Hotel Friday, in honor of Miss Wilma Koritz of Onargo, Ill. Others present were Miss Melba Koch, Miss Blanche Marten, Miss Eleanor Lorenz, Miss Kathryn Osthoff, Miss Claire Weller, Miss Ramona Helle, Miss Ruth Augustin, Miss Louise Zoller, Miss Virginia Weber, and Miss Jeanette Marcshel.

Mrs. L. W. Menke, 3439 Arsenal street, entertained Christmas Eve at her home for her daughter, Miss Lucille Marie Menke, who celebrated her fourtenth birthday anniversary. The guests were invited from 2:30 to 7 p. m. and included the following classmates of the hostess who atends the Roosevelt High School: Miss June Sayer, Miss Gladys Scown, Miss Audrey Aldridge, Miss Leota Wilhardt, Miss Mayoo-Lee Taylor and Miss Mildred Ries.

A bridge party will be given by the Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the Jewish Orphans' Home at the home of Mrs. A. Shank, 6247 Arundel place, next Sunday at 2 p. m.

The ladies of St. Mary Magdalen Parish in Southampton will entertain at a benefit card party this evening at 8 o'clock in the school hall, Kingshighway and Sutherland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Ryburn, 7030 Wise avenue, entertained at a party Friday for their daughter, Lucy Jane. Sixteen guests were present.

The Kappa Theta Delta Sorority gave a dinner at Hotel Coronado Friday evening which was followed by a theater party. Those present were Miss May Dolin, Miss Ida Feldman, Miss Ruth and Miss Virginia Freyer, Miss Anita Goldberg, Miss Rose Joseph, Miss Miriam Krupnick, Miss Marion McFarland, Miss Leola Michaels, Miss Dorothy V. Pepper and Miss Lillian Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ruhn, 1125 Lawn avenue, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Wednesday at a reception which they will give at their home from 2 to 5 p. m. At 7 o'clock in the evening a dinner will be served at the Forest Park Hotel and will be followed by a dance.

LILY BUSCH ESTATE PAYS $431,000 INHERITANCE TAX

This Amount Is Third Largest of Kind Ever Collected by the State of Missouri.

By the Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 29.—A check for the third largest inheritance tax ever collected in Missouri, $431,000 on the estate of Mrs. Lily Busch, widow of Adolphus Busch, St. Louis brewer, came to the Inheritance Tax Bureau in the State Treasury today.

The appraisement of Mrs. Busch's estate fixed the total value at $8,515,951, but the amount of the estate subject to the tax, after deducting taxes, administration, expenses and other items, was $7,607,961.

The total tax was $442,260, but probate fees were $11,260, making the net amount $431,000.

Jewish Women's Meetings.

The calendar for the conference of Jewish Women's Organizations for January follows:

Tuesday—Home Circle; Ladies' Auxiliary Jewish Old Folks' Home; Sigma Theta Pi sorority.

Wednesday—Bible study; Hachnosas Kalo; Ben Akiba; Beth Hamdresh Hagodol; Sisterhood Adas B'Nai Israel.

Thursday — Ben Akiba Home Board.

Sunday, Jan. 6 — Junior Girls' Auxiliary Orphans' Home; Queen Esther.

Jan. 7—B'Nai Amoon Mothers' Club.

Jan. 8 — Blue Whites; Miriam No. 17, U. O. T. S.; St. Louis Chapter Hadassah.

Jan. 9—Bible Study Group; Ladies' Auxiliary B'Nai Zion; Miriam Ladies' Benefit; Gertrude Charity.

Jan. 11—Pioneers.

Jan. 13 — Installation Junior Girls' Auxiliary of Jewish Orphans' Home.

Jan. 13—N. R. Society; Council of Jewish Juniors.

Jan. 14—Moses Montifiore Ladies' Charity; Council Jewish Women.

Jan. 15 — Board Meeting (Miriam) Jewish Orphans' Home; Sigma Theta Pi sorority.

Jan. 16 — Bible Study Group; Daughters of Israel; Shaare Sedek Sisterhood; Gertrude Boys' Home.

Jan. 17 — Miriam Convalescent Rose Bry Home.

Jan. 20—Shaare Emeth; Junior Hadassah.

Jan. 21—Sisterhoods.

Jan. 23—Miriam No. 17; Blue-Whites.

Jan. 23 — Bible Study; Noshim Rachmonfoth Society.

Jan. 25—Pioneers.

Jan. 27—J. C. R. S. dance; Hachnosos Kalo; Brith Sholom Sisterhood.

Jan. 28—Conference of Jewish Women's Organizations; Ladies' Auxiliary, J. C. R. S.

Jan. 29 — Peace Committee of Council of Jewish Women; Noshim Bickor Cholium Society.

Jan. 30—Bible Study Group.

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Society in East St. Louis

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon H. Boyd of Ohio avenue entertained Friday evening with a dancing party at their home in honor of their daughter, Louise. The guests were Miss Dorothy Davis, Miss Virginia Herman, Miss Hazel Moss, Miss Sarah Hill, Miss Marie Giessing, Miss Delores Browning, Miss Josephine Dumbeck, Miss Marian Kircher, Miss Marian Harszy, Miss Irma Culbertson, Miss Billie Lay, Miss Jule Schroeder, Miss Virginia Sanford, Miss Virginia Beckwith, Miss Mary Relgen, Miss Jane Jutton, Miss Marjorie Pea, Miss Wilkadell Clatterbuck, Miss Esther Polk, Miss Ella Richardson, Miss Virginia McQuilkin, Miss Bernice Heller, Miss Marian Carter, Miss Claremont Rigden, Miss Alice May Zimmerman, Miss Maude Carter, Miss Dorothy Whitman, Miss Jeannette Chapin, Miss Kathleen Rutledge, Miss Carolyn Symonds and Miss Lucille Musick; Olville Cramer, Frank Manker, Joseph Sullivan, Thomas Duffy, Arthur Herrod, Edward Delmore, Fred Leber Jr., Arthur Wadsworth, Ray Birchfield, Paul Coyne, H. J. Blythe, William Beckwith, Seth Cherrington, William Wimmer, Ralph Wedman, Eugene Gamble, Robert MacClinchie, Charles Jackson, Theodore Griffin, Edward Crocken, Chan Wasson, William Seegar, Robert Perkins, Robert Broderick, William Thornberg, William Coyne, William Saunders and Earl Jackson.

The engagement of Miss Lucille Goedde, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Goedde of North Tenth street, and G. Elliot Hatfield of Mitchell, S. D., was announced at a 1 o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. Goedde at her home Friday afternoon. The guests were Miss Thelma Coyne, Miss Maude Rae Campbell, Miss Katherine Meints, Miss Gladys Goedde, Miss Bernice Kurrus, Miss Dorothy Schiele, Miss Margaret Campbell, Mrs. Harold G. Baker, Mrs. Russell King and Mrs. J. S. Boulden and Miss Eleanor Rench of St. Louis.

Miss Mary Louise Williamson entertained yesterday at a bridge breakfast. The guests were Mrs. Walter Griesedieck, Mrs. George Michael, Mrs. John R. Small, Mrs. Orson Curtis, Mrs. William D. Griffith, Mrs. Thomas Pace of Springfield, Miss Alice Mace, Miss Eunice Williamson, Miss Louise Landers, Miss Beatrice Fulkham and Miss Frances Harper.

Miss Dixie Dunham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dunham, is visiting over the week-end in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Miller of North Eleventh street will entertain the members of their bridge club Saturday evening.

Miss Carolyn Symonds entertained at a 1 o'clock bridge luncheon at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Metcalf Saturday afternoon. The guests were Miss Elizabeth Callison, Miss Hazel Moss, Miss Florence Richardson, Miss Nora Maroney, Miss Jule Schroeder, Miss Dorothy Nester, Miss Ruth Harrison, Miss Grace Endicott of St. Louis, Miss Mary Louise Tarlton, Miss Virginia Herman, Miss Melva Stolle, Miss Katherine Horner, Miss Jean Handley, Miss Mary Alston, Miss Delores Browning, Miss Virginia Sanford, Miss Kitty Little, Miss Esther Polk, Miss Bernice Heller, Miss Marian Kircher, Miss Marie Giessing, Miss Virginia O'Leary, Miss Marie Bass, Miss Dorothy Luntz, Miss Helen Corrigan, Miss Evelyn Walters and Mrs. Lawrence Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sterling have motored to Marshall, Mo., for a week-end visit.

Miss Nell Mulberry of Baugh avenue has gone to Chicago to be the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Maxey Smith. Her sister, Miss Minnie Mulberry, who has been visiting in Chicago will accompany her home.

Miss Lorraine Murchand of the Charlton Apartments left yesterday for Haubstandt, Ind., to spend the next week with her perents.

Miss Exzilla Schanot will entertain the members of her bridge club Monday evening. The members of the club are: Mrs. James Clarence Leigh, Mrs. Hamer Evans, Mrs. Russel King, Mrs. John Holler, Miss Adele Thomas, Miss Kathryn Cooper, Miss Catherine Springer, Miss Margaret Shreve, Miss Ruth Williamson, Miss Martha McQuilkin, and Miss Lucille Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. David Miller of College avenue departed Wednesday on a motor trip through the South. They will be gone three months.

Mrs. Harry Browning was hostess to several friends Wednesday afternoon at a 1 o'clock bridge luncheon. The guests were Mrs. J. Gorman, Mrs. Jarvis Clark, Mrs. John Davis of Collinsville, Mrs. J. L. Lucier and Mrs. Irwin Schmitz and Mrs. Emma Hagen of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pace and son of Springfield, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Meints of Washington place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cameron of Pine Bluff, Ark., were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rojiequet of College avenue.

Mrs. John W. Coulter of Bond avenue will be hostess to her bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wright will depart Tuesday for Brisbane, Australia, where Mr. Watkins has accepted a position for the next three years. They will visit Japan, China and Manila and will arrive in Australia some time in March.

Miss Helen Gregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Gregory, is visiting over the week-end in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hitchcock of North Thirty-ninth street entertained at bridge at their home Tuesday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hallows, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hallows, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. DeLonge and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hallows.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Flannery of Vogel place entertained at bridge Thursday evening.

Miss Dorothy Anderson of Dixon City, Ill., is the guest of Miss Martha McQuilkin of Lincoln avenue.

Members of the Nevele Club and their husbands and several guests will have a dinner bridge party at the Broadview Hotel Friday evening.

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PART FIVE.

Herriot, i... Says Fr... To...

Former Premier Asserts S... but Steady Progress Is ... ing Made Toward Event... Evacuation of Rhinela... and Cites Provision in V... sailles Treaty Which Gui... His Nation's Policies.

By EDOUARD HERRIOT, Former Premier of France. (Copyright, 1928.)

PARIS, Dec. ...

DR. WILHELM MARX, former Ch... lor of Germany, recently expound... an extremely interesting article w... for the press of the world (and publ... in the Post-Dispatch, Dec. 16), his vie... reparations and evacuation.

No one respects more than I the ... merit of this statesman. I have not f... ten and I believe no one has forgotte... severe but friendly negotiations in the ... mer of 1924 which resulted in the L... accord permitting an interior developme... a pacific policy and resulting in the e... ation of the Ruhr. It is in remaining ... ful to those memories that I desire to ... exposing the French viewpoint; certainl... in the hope of adding to the present ... culties or provoking polemics, but to ... earnestly for methods of effecting th... cere reconciliation of France and Germa... a basis of permanent peace.

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Both Sides Agree to Discuss Evacuation of Rhineland.

Thus the Chancellor of the Reich de... ed and anticipated the evacuation of ... Rhineland, and the Powers agreed t... cuss it. The creditor Powers dem... "complete and definite" settlement of ... affair through financial experts, and ... many accepted the procedure with a v... this solution.

Here are glorious facts. Step by st... advance toward a true peace. Little ... tle, the efforts of pacifist politics are wi... the goal, and throughout the world ... willed men, to whom the evangelist for... addressed his words, are supporting as ... for moral as political reasons a work ... is perhaps the most important humanit... ever undertaken. Let us discuss it, ... without bitterness in trying to under... at a moment when the participation o... United States is solicited, at a moment ... experts are going to be convened, at th... quest of the various Powers, at a m... when Parker Gilbert, in whom we have ... appreciated the spirit of justice, has jus... lished a report of the excellent functi... of the Dawes plan.

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Herriot, in Reply to Marx, Says France Does Not Wish To Injure German People

Former Premier Asserts Slow but Steady Progress Is Being Made Toward Eventual Evacuation of Rhineland, and Cites Provision in Versailles Treaty Which Guides His Nation's Policies.



EDOUARD HERRIOT.

Denies Secession in Occupied Territory Is Being Encouraged, or That There Is Any Intent to Continue Presence of Troops Beyond 1935—Says All Efforts Are Toward Permanent Reconciliation.

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PARIS, Dec. 29.

DR. WILHELM MARX, former Chancellor of Germany, recently expounded in an extremely interesting article written for the press of the world (and published in the Post-Dispatch, Dec. 16), his views on reparations and evacuation.

No one respects more than I the high merit of this statesman. I have not forgotten and I believe no one has forgotten our severe but friendly negotiations in the summer of 1924 which resulted in the London accord permitting an interior development of a pacific policy and resulting in the evacuation of the Ruhr. It is in remaining faithful to those memories that I desire to reply, exposing the French viewpoint; certainly not in the hope of adding to the present difficulties or provoking polemics, but to seek earnestly for methods of effecting the sincere reconciliation of France and Germany on a basis of permanent peace.

These points would appear specially important at this moment, when the United States is being invited to be represented by "independent" experts on a new committee. Let us review the situation.

Sept. 16 there was signed at Geneva a very brief protocol, but a very important one. Representatives from Germany, Belgium, France, Britain, Italy and Japan indicated their friendly agreement on the following points: The opening of official negotiations relative to the demand of the German Chancellor for the evacuation of the Rhineland; the necessity for a complete and definite settlement of the reparations problem, and on the constitution of a committee of financial experts to be designated by the respective governments in order to maintain the aforesaid settlement; on the principle of the constitution of the Commission of Inquiry and Conciliation.

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Thus the Chancellor of the Reich demanded and anticipated the evacuation of the Rhineland, and the Powers agreed to discuss it. The creditor Powers demanded "complete and definite" settlement of this affair through financial experts, and Germany accepted the procedure with a view to this solution.

Here are glorious facts. Step by step we advance toward a true peace. Little by little, the efforts of pacifist politics are winning the goal, and throughout the world good-willed men, to whom the evangelist formerly addressed his words, are supporting as much for moral as political reasons a work which is perhaps the most important humanity has ever undertaken. Let us discuss it, then, without bitterness in trying to understand, at a moment when the participation of the United States is solicited, at a moment when experts are going to be convened, at the request of the various Powers, at a moment when Parker Gilbert, in whom we have often appreciated the spirit of justice, has just published a report of the excellent functioning of the Dawes plan.

I agree with the Hon. Dr. Marx over the international character of the problem which we have just formulated, and the importance of a wise solution for the cultural development of humanity. In starting, let us explain things clearly.

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In any case, Article 341 of the Versailles treaty appears as luminous as it is short: "If before the expiration of the period of 15 years Germany satisfies all the engagements contracted by her in the present treaty, the troops of occupation will be immediately withdrawn."

The negotiations of the treaty charged with liquidating the gravest of all wars were not able to foresee in detail the difficulties which would arise from the settlement during the course of 15 years, nor all the consequences of such a conflict, which was much more injurious to the world than an earthquake or a cholera epidemic. That is true, and since it is true, let us honestly admit it.

But from the juridical point of view which Dr. Marx places first, the text is limpid with its three lines. From these three lines a German scribe could have made three pages. My dear Dr. Marx's article would not have been more lucid. Let us leave in peace the good old French language. Let us not disturb in his tomb the shade of Voltaire.

However, the honorable Chancellor enters rather quickly upon discussion of the political aspect. France's view of this phase was explained by M. Briand before the Chamber of Deputies Dec. 4. What did M. Briand say?

At the outset he commented on his speech at Geneva which provoked Germany to such a lively emotion, whereof I myself was witness, especially among the German statesmen.

Cordiality With Mueller Unimpaired, Briand Says.

"We have despaired," said M. Briand, "because we have hoped for too much, yet at no moment, despite certain transitory impressions, has the cordiality of our contact with Herr Mueller been endangered."

Unfortunate statements which one must always seek to avoid, whether written or oral, had been uttered, and had they not accused such and such a one of doublefaced dealings? I see today that even the Right Hon. Sir Austen Chamberlain is doubted, although no one suspects his profound loyalty. But let us leave petty quarrels which cannot help but degrade a noble subject.

The egotistic interests of statesmen do not count when the interests of peoples are at stake. Briand, like Stresemann, clings steadfastly to Locarno, that golden nail. He doesn't deny that the act must have an effect on the occupation of the Rhineland. He has recalled, in fact, that France already had taken measures to soften the regime dictated by the treaty, that he had himself opened with Herr Stresemann the subject of evacuation, that he had sought with him means of settling by financial experts this question, and that he had solicited proposals.

The Geneva protocol of Sept. 16 already cited is already the first conclusion of these negotiations. This act already records agreement on principles. In all this succession of events is perceptible a narrow and correct logic, and if one seeks to assess this elaborate paraphrase, one may discover the nudity of the facts.

Is the progression slow? Sure but steady progress is of such importance that intelligence must incorporate with nature and life obedient to the phrase of the British philosopher, "Natura non facit saltum" (Nature makes no leap).

Quotes Words of Briand As Answer to Dr. Marx.

It is Briand himself who replies to Marx. I cite him here verbatim, as the matter is most important:

"Herr Mueller told us that Germany has a right to demand the immediate evacuation of the Rhineland. That is the juridical position Germany takes. I replied not juridically, and with the treaty before me, and I dispute that claim. The honorable representative of Great Britain made the same reply. Put yourself on a more modest basis which allows the possibility for accord, namely on a political basis. Then we can progress. It was agreed that without making any claims about rights, he would try to view the problem from a political viewpoint which was more humane."

As may be seen, the problem becomes clearer and simpler through good will and loyalty. Adversaries get together. The French analytical method here also proves its superiority over the synthetic method dear to the Germans. As, what progress of humanity will be marked when the brutal shock of a synthesis which creates misunderstanding, conflicts and wars, is replaced by the conciliatory efforts of analysis. Logic leads peaceward, metaphysics leads to war, first a war of philosophers, then to a war of peoples.

Regarding the problem in question as it is now put, and it is well put, we believe that France is not seeking any advantage. She has confidence in logic and in free discussion. She seeks a definite accord on reparations. She wants to liquidate the past honorably, and, if I may so express myself, to liquidate the heavy mortgage that is bearing down the future.

There has been some indignation in Germany over the thought of seeing this Commission of Investigation and Conciliation instituted whereof the Geneva protocol speaks, but it is precisely one of those commissions as provided by Article 3 of the Rhineland pact at Locarno, which should allow the two Nations to settle between themselves any possible differences.

Denies France Has Any Idea Of Striking at Sovereignty.

France well knows that she must not strike at the sovereignty of Germany. She has no more idea of troubling Germany than she has of concluding secret treaties contrary to her obligations to the League of Nations. Thus, the Hon. Dr. Marx is evidently not exactly informed regarding the viewpoint of French democracy which I have just outlined.

Will budding hopes be destroyed? No; but after the severity of winter it is necessary to pass through the slow transition of spring, which also has chilly days, before arriving at the glory of summer.

Do we seek to continue the occupation of the Rhineland beyond 1935? No. Would we like to possess the left bank of the Rhine permanently? No. Would we like to encourage secession? No. I would despise, as far as

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WHAT IS PROGRESS? By Knut Hamsun

Written for the Post-Dispatch

"It Is the Necessary Rest for the Body and Peace for the Soul"—World Shows Civilization but Not Culture

THE following article was written, upon invitation, for the Fiftieth Anniversary number of the Post-Dispatch which was published Dec. 9, but it was not possible to include it in the pages of that issue.

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FROM people in different parts of Europe, and also at times from America, I have in latter years received requests to write a word of weight, a concentrated word of wisdom, upon which they might live in the future. And each time I have found myself thinking: So they have found out that I am a wise man; it is useless for me to hide it any longer. I am discovered!

I realize well enough that I am only one of the many who receive this kind of request. In newer times it has come through the world wisdom of men like Kant, Goethe, Darwin, Tolstoy; and when there are no longer any great prophets among us, one must go to the lesser—of these there were many, there were twelve.

But that one also should come to me! I who do not even know how to find my proper place in life, and every day must ask advice from the ocean, the wind and the stars.

Others have been clever, too, in our days, and have discovered one serum after another. Bergson has introduced intuition; Einstein the theory of relativity. I am empty. I have no presumptions, know nothing; I have not even a degree from a high school. Here I am, a peasant of my soil, an innocent abroad. A word of weight to live upon, a word of wisdom? The ancients had the motto of Augustus: Festina lente (Hurry slowly).

"Needs of the Soul Are Not Soothed by Mechanics."

But these requests clearly point to one thing: The perplexed confusion everywhere among mankind. All are fumbling, none have peace. God is forgotten; the dollar shows itself impotent to replace Him. The needs of the soul are not soothed by mechanics. The road is blocked. Under these conditions it is that America merely increased speed. America will not at all allow itself to be stopped by obstacles; it wants to forge ahead, to break its way. Should America turn back? Not by any means. It merely puts on a hundred times more speed, plays cyclone on the globe and churns life into a white glow. In Europe we have the expression "Americanism." In ancient times they had "Festina lente."

It is no sign of force to misuse it. In certain cases it is not even a sign of force to apply it. Force is spent; a day comes when that force is worn out, and one is reduced to rely upon one's reserve. Peoples of old, like the Assyrians and the Babylonians, used their strength, abused their force and were destroyed.

To me it seems that the Orientals stand high in ethical wisdom. From olden times they were the fortunate possessors of contentedness with life. They smiled at the restless wriggles of the Occidentals and bowed their heads in contemplative quiet. They had enough with their own. The newspapers recently contained a story about an airplane which was wrecked in the desert. The natives of the Sidi Okba Oasis, who had seen the great bird in the heavenly space, came up. They walked around the bird, thought to themselves, shook their heads, but said nothing: The bird was dead; the bird had never been alive.

The Sheik Doubts Whether Aviation Is Worth the Effort.

The flyers had expected a different reception: An excessive surprise, a dropping-to-the-knees—nothing happened. The aviators made themselves interesting. They explained how many hours they had been in the air and how many hours more they must remain. They were now going to repair the bird and to fly on! The Touaregs uttered a few polite words, greeted them and wished to be gone. The aviators were not satisfied with this. They wanted to see the savages on their knees and to hear an exclamation; they would tame these sons of the desert. The sheik thereupon expressed his doubts about the discovery, the flight, about the whole idea being worth that sum of human soul which was being spent in the undertaking.

Of course, his words had no effect upon the aviators—his was a voice in the desert. But already two generations ago John Stuart Mill wrote that it was a question whether the great mechanical discoveries had lightened the burden of life for one single human being. What would John Stuart Mill have said now?

Is sensation necessary for the earthly life? The Touareg can live without it. We set records in flying, in racing, in fistic battle. We howl to the heavens in delight at the heroes who fly across the Atlantic—and we return home emptied of our excitement. A French rope walker, Blondin, walked on stilts across Niagara on a rope as long ago as in 1860.



KNUT HAMSUN rose from the lot of a fisherman's son on a lonely island off the coast of Norway to a Nobel prize winner, ranking with Ibsen and Strindberg. Hamsun, however, was anything but a pursuer of wealth and honors. The critics stress the "soul" quality in his work. He is the kind who draws a distinction between civilization and culture.

In the accompanying discussion of wisdom and the human riddle can be recognized the dreaming lad confined on his "drama of stone in the sea," the young immigrant following the plow in North Dakota, the conductor of a Chicago horse car neglecting his passengers to read the classics, and the fisherman on the somber Newfoundland coast who finally gave up the New World as uncongenial.

In his most read work, "Growth of the Soil," there is a vein of cheer without illusion—at least a love of the homely and sincere. The same quality in the present contribution warms into a keen but kindly raillery at such American idols as efficiency and speed.

"We Become Over-Civilized But Lose Out in the Spiritual".

For deeds such as these are wanted courage, personal stake, energy, ambition, sensation; but it shows no balance of the soul in us when we acclaim such dark lack of understanding, even though it is transformed into a lucky deed. We show civilization perhaps; we do not show culture. That is the point: We become civilized, over-civilized; but we lose out in the spiritual. During boxing encounters we shamelessly display an insane, a panic-like jubilation over the fighter who can inflict the most punishment on his opponent. When the daring—the foolhardy—flyer Lindbergh returned from his Atlantic flight American newspapers wrote that he ought to be elected President of the United States! The young man is, of origin, of an old and honor-laden people. He has, himself, reacted against—and refused—ridiculous offers. He is popular; he knows his machine; his name is on the lips of everybody. But President of the greatest and most powerful people of the earth! When such an idea can arise and be launched forth without blushing—is that culture?

An American author, who lives in New York, recently wrote an article in the great Danish newspaper "Politiken" about a visit of royalty to our ancient Norwegian city Trondhjem. He sneered at the fact that the people of Trondhjem could be impressed by such a trifling happening as a visit by a King, and in a way he may have been right there. In the United States, however, I have witnessed far greater excitement at a presidential visit to a town smaller than Trondhjem and without the thousand years of that city's history. But this is of no consequence. I shall not dwell on it. But the author sneered at the unimpressive King's residence at Trondhjem, and, in general, at the construction of the city—a matter which the author was hardly qualified to discuss. There stands at Trondhjem a marvelous Gothic cathedral, the greatest cathedral in Scandinavia; a noble edifice, the like of which does not exist in America, and which America really will never possess. And the King's dwelling? It is no skyscraper, but it is a great castle; the largest seigneurially-fitted wooden building in the Nordic countries. Merely this is worthy of note: It is constructed of various wood sorts that are more lasting than brick.

American Author Lacked "Atmosphere, Historical Spirit".

This American author is no doubt what we call a well-bred man. He has attended the excellent schools of his country and has secured for himself right and correct knowledge on different subjects; he is a civilized person, and it does not seem to occur to him that he lacks something in his education. But he misses the atmosphere, historical spirit, patina. He was not inside the royal residence, he says. And he would most probably not have been interested in the interior fittings. They lack flimsy, fine things, but contain nobility. On the whole, there is deep culture in all old Trondhjem's wooden architecture.

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HAVE I been sitting here now and sneered at America, slandered America? I have not done that, nor have I any reason to do so. To my death I shall treasure what I learned during my two visits, and I am not without delicate and good memories from over there. It is of the Nation, as a whole, I speak, and of American life.

I would mention the great helpfulness of the Americans; their sympathy, generosity. It will not be possible to discuss here, in the right manner, a Rockefeller, a Carnegie, a Morgan. Their donations are on such a tremendous scale that I have not the measure to estimate their value. I am thinking of the helpfulness of average Americans in their daily life. They step forward immediately when they are needed, and ask for no reward for the good action. I once asked for a few dollars to purchase books for a small Norwegian colony near the town where I worked. It worked beautifully. Dr. Booth signed at the top of the list and many others followed. I had to stop the collection myself. I once worked for a comparatively poor Irish farmer, whose main farmhouse burned down. Now, all the neighbors came rushing along from near and afar. They not only helped to put out the fire—they rebuilt the house! We, the people of the farm, could confidently continue our work in the fields, and, when the house was ready, thank for the good deed and move in again.

A Personal Experience With An American's Generosity.

In this connection I may perhaps be pardoned for mentioning a personal experience. As a very young man I had become stranded in my travels. I was in Chicago and had no way of getting away from there. I then wrote a short letter to a well-known American and asked for—asked for $25, which I could not promise to repay. I went with the letter myself. It was a long way; all the way out to the abattoirs. I inquired of my way and found the man's office. It was an enormous room; ugly in appearance, almost like an outhouse, but with a mass of office workers. At the entrance stood a young man as door attendant. He took my letter and went away with it. I saw him make for the center of the room, where a young man sat on a raised platform working with a lot of papers. That was Armour. From that moment on I dared not look up. I felt some shame, of course; I was afraid, too, of the probable refusal. The door attendant came back quickly. I did not realize it until he was beside me and handed me $25. It took a little time before I came to myself. Then I asked idiotically:

"Did I get it?"

"Yes," said the man smilingly.

"What did he say?" I asked.

"He said that your letter was worth it."

I stood there a moment and fumbled with my bills and asked: "May I go up and thank him?"

The man replied doubtfully: "Perhaps. But that would only disturb him!"

I looked up at Mr. Armour. He did not give me one look, but worked on with his papers.

I have no recollection of what I wrote in that letter. It was surely the most execrable

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles; that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news; always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Missouri Gubernatorial Elections.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

SOME weeks ago your paper published one of those leading editorials which justify the editorial page in general, and in particular distinguish the Post-Dispatch among modern metropolitan dailies. That editorial was a call for wise and effective political leadership in the State affairs of Missouri, and was especially an appeal to the incoming State administration.

The cause for the lack of leadership said by that editorial to exist is, in my opinion, a mechanical cause which suggests its own remedy.

The cause is that there are no campaigns in which leaders may adequately discuss State issues, nor in which issues may develop strong leaders. The only important State campaigns are those every four years which come with the national presidential elections. The result is obvious. National issues are always more interesting and more absorbing than State issues, and so the hand-organ campaigns of the Statehouse candidates are drowned out by the brass-band campaigns of the presidential candidates. This means that the Governor of Missouri is elected upon some national or international question such as that of the League of Nations or of farm relief or upon the personalities of presidential candidates. The President is the President of 48 states; the Governor is the Governor of Missouri.

The remedy is either of these plans:

(a) To cut the gubernatorial term to two years; or

(b) To have the four-year term begin on the "off year," when only a congressional election is on to rival the State campaign. T.

Likes the Post-Dispatch.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

IF it doesn't make any difference to you who pays tribute to the Post-Dispatch, will repeat what I have contended for 20 years—the Post-Dispatch is America's greatest journal. Greatest because it has the courage to foster the cause of right and justice irrespective of whose rights and justice may be jeopardized.

JUST OSCAR T. DERRICK.

Needs of State Institutions.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

THE recent articles in the Post-Dispatch by Curtis A. Betts describing conditions in some of our State institutions, reveal conditions which are a disgrace to the great commonwealth of Missouri. For some reason these institutions, especially the hospitals for the insane, have been compelled to exist from one legislative session to another, with scarcely enough revenue to keep them going and with no provision whatever for new buildings or modern improvements. I am told some of the present buildings are mere fire-traps and only the mercy of God has prevented a holocaust that would be an everlasting disgrace to the people of Missouri.

Senator McCawley is to be commended for his expressed intention to introduce at the coming session of the Legislature a joint and concurrent resolution submitting to the voters of the State a bond issue sufficient to take care of the needs of the situation.

Before this is done, and to insure the success of the bond amendment, a careful survey should be made under the direction of Governor-elect Caulfield, so the building needs of all the State institutions could be included in the bill. The people will cheerfully vote the necessary funds, but they must be shown in a convincing and authoritative way what the money is needed for and how it will be spent. HUMANITARIAN.

For Comics Which End Happily.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

WILL you tell us just why all your so-called funny pictures end with trouble for the characters? It is awfully tiresome and monotonous to look at the same old thing—trouble, always. Why don't you get an original artist who can give us real pictures in bright red blue and yellow, the colors of liberty and happiness, that end happily, like civilized people want? Is there no happiness in your part of the world?

YOUNG AND OLD.

The R. R. Bridge at Cairo.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

HAVE read a lot in your paper concerning bridges, toll bridges, etc. When is a bridge a toll? When does a bridge necessarily become not a toll? What I have in mind is this:

Forty years or more ago, the I. C. R. R. built a bridge across the Ohio River at Cairo, Ill. Since that time, they have charged toll something like 25 cents or more for each ticket passenger. (Revenue passenger) amounting to 18 or 20 passenger trains each 24 hours.

Also there is special revenue excess freight rate per each ton of freight hauled across this bridge. Something like 60 freight trains each 24 hours hauling an average of 50 freight cars each.

I would not risk a guess at revenue derived from the investment of a bridge 40 years ago. Some one enlighten me.

T. M. HOOKER.

Arlington, Ky.

A STATE CONSTABULARY NEEDED.

There was a bank robbery at Foristell, Mo., yesterday. Of course, the robber escaped and may never be arrested, because there are no police officers in the County of St. Charles, where the bank robbery took place, or in any of the counties through which he may pass.

There have been nine bank robberies in the County of St. Louis within a month. The total number of bank robberies in the towns of the State has not been enumerated, but it is large. Of course, some of the robbers have been arrested, but their arrests have been rather a matter of luck or of specially favorable circumstances than on account of any system on the part of the State.

We mention these frequent robberies in the counties and towns outside the large cities to emphasize the need of a State police force, a step the Post-Dispatch has urged time and again and which is now being advocated vigorously by Attorney-General Shartel. Mr. Shartel's arguments are unanswerable. He cites two main reasons for the creation of a State police department.

One is the protection of citizens outside of cities with police against criminals and for the arrest of criminals fleeing from the locations of their crimes. Many criminals escape from the cities after committing crimes, because the police in the cities have no authority to search and arrest outside the boundaries of the city. The city police are not maintained for that purpose.

Another reason is the patrolling of the State highways. Missouri has constructed a great highway system and is engaged now in extending it, but there is no adequate means of regulating the traffic, frequently very heavy, outside of the cities. The reckless driver, for the most part, has free play for his recklessness. The consequences of having 7000 miles of highways extending throughout the State practically without traffic regulations are appalling. Traffic is increasing rapidly and unless some system of controlling the highways and regulating speed is devised, travel will be extremely unsafe in the State.

Policing the counties is now dependent wholly upon sheriffs and deputies and township constables. These officers, who are chiefly concerned with courts, are selected from all walks of life and are not specially fitted for police work. Their authority is bounded by their particular counties. These law enforcement forces are wholly inadequate to do the police work which is now necessary or to regulate traffic on the highways.

As Attorney-General Shartel remarks, the existence of a State police charged with preventing law breaking, speeding and recklessness on the highways, and arresting criminals in any part of the State, would go far towards deterring criminals, who have little fear of arrest under the present antiquated system.

Many states have created and are maintaining State police, with excellent effect. Mr. Shartel pointed out that in New Jersey the State constabulary made 25,000 arrests and obtained 22,000 convictions.

The chief opposition to a State constabulary has come from labor organizations. Their leaders say that the constabulary will be used to put down strikes. The argument is based chiefly upon a few instances of the activities of State police in Pennsylvania and Colorado. The conditions, however, that caused these activities are vanishing, and we do not believe there is good ground for opposition on this score. We do not believe that any element of the population need fear the activities of State police, except law breakers and reckless drivers. However, control of the activities of the State constabulary and the uses to which it may be put can be handled at any time. Mistakes of authorities can always be corrected, but the State ought not to be left without necessary police protection because some abuses have arisen from time to time.

Every citizen of Missouri is interested in assuring adequate protection against crime and against reckless driving on the highways. The interest of the citizens as a whole demands State police. The State Legislature should recognize that interest and take action accordingly. Citizens, through civic organizations or individually, should give vigorous support to the campaign for the creation of a State constabulary.

FATALISM AND OCEAN FLYING.

Miss Viola Gentry, who recently set a new woman's altitude record, plans a flight across the Atlantic. "I'm not the least bit afraid of trying a long, dangerous flight," she said. "I'm a fatalist. I believe you die when your time comes, and not before."

Without attacking Miss Gentry's fatalistic philosophy, we advise her to check the proportion of trans-Atlantic flight failures with the successes and to note the part played in some of the latter by blind luck. Landing wheels and bits of canvas washed up by the sea now and then serve to remind us of the many whose romantic efforts and lives ended in mid-ocean, despite precautions thought to be adequate. A "lone" flight by a woman would have no significance except to be another of those meaningless "firsts." Is Miss Gentry's "time to die" marked somewhere out on the water? If so, she had best stay on land, or above it. Could a fatalist do that?

ROAD KINDNESS KILLED.

Road courtesy and helpfulness, which abounded in the earlier years of the automobile era, are well along toward extinction, due to their frequent abuse. When automobiles first took to the roads it was the usual thing, if a driver was in trouble, to have proffers of help from all the cars that came along and there were not many drivers who would not stop to pick up a foot traveler when hailed, and even without being hailed.

It is different now. Motorists do not offer aid or give a "lift" because they fear they will be robbed or beaten or even killed. There was the case of the man who was driving in St. Louis County and stopped to pull another man's car out of the ditch and, failing in that, took the driver of the other car into his own to go for additional aid, and was clouted with a chisel for his pains. It will probably be a long time before the victim again acts the part of the Good Samaritan, and all who read of his experience will be like-minded.

It is regrettable that the acts of a few criminals have compelled a suppression of the helpful impulse which still prompts most motorists. Those who have trouble and need help on the road are the sufferers. It is next to impossible to get passing motorists to stop especially at night. And they cannot be blamed. They simply do not dare to take the risk. Severe penalties may check crimes of this character, but the distrust and caution that have taken possession of the minds of motorists will remain and the days of courtesy and helpfulness will not return. It is not the worst thing that, under cover of pretended distress, crimes are committed. The worst is that kindness has been killed.

THE BOULDER DAM MYSTERY.

Perhaps the holidays and their disposition to abate that vigilance which is the price of freedom are to blame for the absence of any satisfactory explanation of the vote in Congress on the Boulder Dam bill.

The bill reposes in the Secretary of the Interior absolute discretion as to whether the Federal Government or private interests shall build the dam and which shall operate it when it is built. Yet the progressives in both the House and Senate voted for it in this form, despite the years of debate over this very point. The New Republic suggests that they did so because they knew that in any other form the bill would encounter the certain veto of Mr. Coolidge. It thinks they preferred action to inaction. For the purpose of surmounting the presidential impasse, they were willing to risk the chance, which Senator Norris seems willing to leave to the force of circumstances, that the Government might not control Boulder Dam as a hydroelectric measuring stick. That is, neither Mr. Coolidge nor Mr. Hoover will sign an out-and-out public ownership bill.

The question as to Mr. West, the new Secretary of the Interior, is thus made acute. Not a word has been said by Mr. Hoover to indicate where he will turn for his Cabinet members. If Mr. West, whom Mr. Coolidge has just made Secretary of the Interior, is to say what shall be done at Boulder Dam, it goes without saying that it will be anything but a measuring stick. Indeed, in the opinion of Senator Nye and other progressives, Mr. West's appointment is the first strategic move for the capture of Boulder Dam by private capital. A trusted inside man in the Republican politics of Illinois for 40 years, and for almost that long associated both as lawyer and investor with the great Insull interests, what Mr. West thinks of such measuring sticks as the progressives designed in Boulder Dam is sufficiently writ down in the science of behaviorism.

We will rejoice to see the holidays end. Then Washington will rouse herself from the sweet dream of wassail under the nose of our most high-minded Government, and we can have the news interpreted.

WITHOUT A FLAW.

Contrary to the impression gained by the country when the Salt Creek leases were canceled, it was not through the good offices of Mr. Coolidge that this inquiry was carried over the head of Dr. Work to the Attorney-General of the United States.

According to statements made before the Senate Lands Committee this week by W. H. Kenyon, an assistant to Mr. Sargent, the opinion which resulted in cancellation of the leases after Dr. Work renewed them resulted from complaint made by the White Eagle Oil Co., and the material upon which the Attorney-General passed was worked up in his own department.

It was therefore not Mr. Coolidge who caused so much embarrassment to the good Dr. Work, a respect in which, from the viewpoint of party courtesy, Mr. Coolidge's record throughout the oil episode has approached perfection.

HE GOT WHAT HE DESERVED.

Judging from comments of men who should know whereof they speak, the William C. Durant prize contest has proved a flop. It was designed to produce "the best and most practicable plan for making the eighteenth amendment effective." The winner, Maj. Chester P. Mills, former New York enforcement officer, advocated a plan to starve bootleggers by curbing the diversion of industrial alcohol. Although Maj. Mills idea was chosen as worthy of the $25,000 prize from many thousands of others, it is receiving loud jeers from prohibition authorities.

Prohibition Commissioner Doran says the conditions Mills speaks of are nonexistent, having passed out of the picture a year and a half ago, and that all of his suggestions have been routine practices of the enforcement bureau for some time past. This blunt blow is matched by the remark of Maj. Maurice Campbell, Mills successor in the New York enforcement job, who declared Mills' ideas worthless, and ascribed the plan of diverting industrial alcohol at its source to Gen. Andrews. F. Scott McBride of the Anti-Saloon League thinks Mills dealt with only a minor phase of the problem. It is generally agreed the bootlegger is not dependent upon industrial alcohol, but is producing alcohol himself.

The outcome of the Durant award emphasizes the absurdity of making it. It is as though someone in 1855 had offered a reward for the solution of the slavery problem. Such things are not reducible to exact formulae, and it was foolish to suppose that a $25,000 award could bring out, as if by magic, something that the thousands of men engaged in prohibition enforcement had never thought of. Mr. Durant, having set up an impossible condition, has got what he deserved—an antiquated plan dealing with only one phase of an enormous social problem.

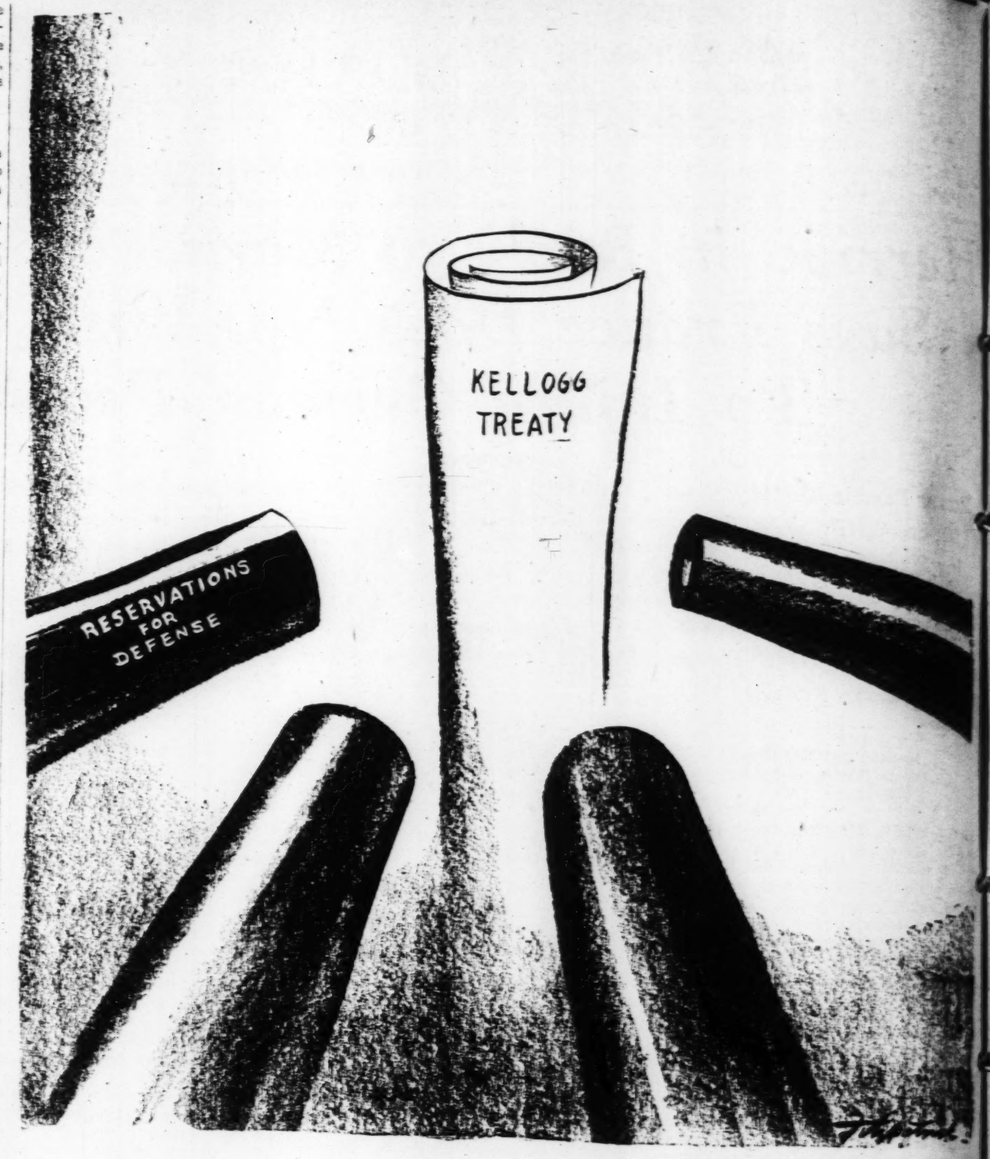
DEATH RAYS AND POISON GASES.

The world has scarcely forgotten the famous death ray which caused such a stir just after the great war. Said to have been discovered by an American, it was subsequently reported to have been sold to the English. It became settled at length that no such ray had ever been discovered.

There is a similar kill-all on the tongues of military men today. It is a poison gas discovered by Dr. Hilton Ira Jones. As the breath of the gila monster was supposed to kill whomsoever it reached, so cacodyl isocyanide, of which its American discoverer says that it "would destroy armies as a man might snuff out a candle."

Fortunately, cacodyl isocyanide cannot be so bad as that. Brigadier-General Amos A. Fries of the U. S. Chemical Service confirms its discovery, but he attaches no such deadliness to it as does Dr. Jones, who thinks the next war will not be fought with shot and shell, but will be a duel between chemists. One thing certainly is true, that chemistry is putting war upon another and a deadlier footing. We may talk of peace as we will, and outlaw even war itself, but in its own defense no nation will scorn whatever serves the law of self-preservation. The theory that death rays and gases like cacodyl isocyanide are going to stop it is as hollow as was the now thoroughly disproved belief that rapid-fire guns would do so.

The fashion in New Year's resolutions this year is to resolve to make no resolutions.



PEACE ON EARTH.

Calles: Mexico's Leading Citizen

Despite his retirement from the Presidency, Calles continues to be the dominant figure in the Mexican scene; his regime saw the achievement of three underlying revolutionary aspirations, namely, agrarian reform, freedom for labor and Mexico's autonomy in the family of nations.

Ernest Gruening in The Nation.

WITH the inauguration of Emilio Portes Gil as provisional President of Mexico a significant period in Mexico's evolution may have begun. Or rather it would be more accurate to say, with the termination of the Presidency of Plutarco Elias Calles, for despite his withdrawal from public office he has been, is, and for the rest of his life will continue to be the dominant figure in the Mexican scene. If important transformation in Mexico may be expected within the next decade, it is due to a land where the individual still counts extraordinarily to Calles, last of the Sonorans.

In discussing Mexico's future it is necessary to guard both against the undue optimism that a few favorable symptoms in her public life seem to justify, and, likewise, against the pessimism that a longer acquaintance with contemporary Mexican events is apt to engender. Many—including chiefly Mexicans—who have lived through the 17 years of the revolution and seen its repeated betrayals and relapses, its high hopes and crushing disappointments, are apt to dismiss any current manifestations with a cynical reference to the French proverb—"Plus ca change, plus c'est la meme chose."

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Nevertheless the deep ferment of revolution has brought results. To achieve them was needed a leader who could combine understanding of the nation's needs, that is, sympathy with the revolutionary aspirations, inflexibility of purpose in materializing them, the political sagacity to maintain himself in office, and, above all, the character that would inspire respect at home and abroad. That leader has been and is Plutarco Elias Calles.

The present tense in his case is quite as important as the past. For, by refusing further tenure of the Presidency, which could have been his again—perhaps indefinitely—for the asking, Calles acquires a prestige and assumes a role in the life of the nation which permits him to serve it fully as much in the future as in the past. What have these services been?

Three underlying revolutionary aspirations have been crystallized in the regime of Calles and lifted to a plane of tangible achievement.

The agrarian reform is a fact. Begun under Carranza, it was a complete failure at the end of his term. It was carried further under Obregon, but was still so harassed by difficulties and the errors of its execution that four years ago it could not well be spoken of as much more than a hope deferred. While far more remains to be done than has been accomplished—indeed, it is the task of a generation—the feudal land tenure is dead, and a new system of small landholdings from which several millions of former peons are benefiting has been erected on ruins.

Labor has been given a chance to organize freely. Whatever may be the ultimate evolution of Mexican labor, it has been set free of the political shackles which bound it. Its process of self-education has begun.

Mexico's autonomy in the family of nations has been established. It has been a bitter struggle. Successively the Taft, Wilson, Harding and Coolidge administrations varyingly have impinged on Mexican sovereignty. Conversely credit must be given to each of Mexico's executives from Madero on for stubbornly resisting any attempted or actual infringements by the United States. The proof of Mexico's assurance of her position as a sovereign nation, entitled to all the attributes and prerogatives thereof, comes—oh paradox of paradoxes—in the unique and unprecedented praise of the United States Ambassador in the inaugural address of President Portes Gil. Recalling the succession of United States Ambassadors and charges whose every move seemed to be the flaunting of a red cape before the snorting and sensitive toro of Mexican nationalism, it makes one rub one's eyes. We seem to have a man in the arena who has walked up and stroked the bull's nose. It may be taken for granted that the allusion to Mr. Morrow and his friendship was included in the Presidential message not merely with the consent but at the instance of Calles. Incidentally it should be recognized as a deserved tribute to the outstanding diplomatic achievement in United States history. Thus, in three fields of national activity—land, labor and foreign relations—there has been definite accomplishment.

There has also been a fine, though limited, development in public health work, road-building, irrigation and school construction in city and country, and a definitely increased administrative efficiency. The maintenance of peace despite the various attempts at rebellion has been an important if negative achievement. So much for the record of Calles the President.

Viewed in the light of the immensity of his task, of the semi-chaos which he inherited in the wake of the De la Huerta rebellion, the obstacles that he faced in the militant hostility of the church, of the oil men, and of the State Department while its representative was Mr. James R. Sheffield, it is a great achievement. Contrasted against it, the errors in the matter of political favoritism, and the condonation of military violence, fade into insignificance. Excepting only the epochal Reform of the late eighteen-fifties, Calles' term has been the most important four-year period in Mexico's national life.

OPENED BY MISTAKE.

From the Detroit News.

It has been decided an explosion which ripped part of the front from a Western postoffice was an accident. It has therefore been marked, Opened by Mistake.

EDUCATE THE GIRLS.

From the Washington Post.

By all means educate the girls—somebody must qualify to do the spelling for financial wizards who dropped out at the fourth grade.

TIP FOR THE OYSTER TRADE.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

If the advocates of a 13-month year ever win we hope the new month has an "r" in it. The oyster trade should give a thought to this.



WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.

THERE'S little doubt left now as to who holds the most unpopular Government job. It falls to the lot of Gen. Lord, budget director, by testimony of no less an authority than that dean of the Senate and veteran chief of the appropriations committee, Warren of Wyoming.

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THIS picture of the budget director's plea and works failed to obtain Senate sympathy for a raise of pay of $2000 a year for Gen. Lord. He now gets $10,000 a year, but Senator Wheeler of Montana lit into the raise-in-pay amendment when it bobbed up in the Senate and the fur flew for a while—Gen. Lord's fur. Lord was "absolute dictator" on budget matters, the Montanan asserted, adding that Congressional money committees had "abdicated" in his favor.

"It places him in a very ridiculous position when he is advocating cutting down other salaries or keeping some one else from getting an increase in salary to himself coming here asking for a $2500 Christmas present," Wheeler thundered, insisting that by approving the item Lord was in effect making such a request. "I am opposed to this official getting an increase until salaries of all Government employes shall be adjusted properly."

Senator Warren took exception to Wheeler's suggestion that Senators might hesitate to oppose the Lord raise for fear of reprisals by the budget bureau against their own pet appropriation projects. He also denied that the request for a raise had originated with Gen. Lord, but rather than delay action of the appropriation bill withdrew the raise amendment. That means, probably, that Lord will stick at the $10,000 figure at least another year.

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PROBABLY Gen. Lord was in part a victim of the circumstance that Senate Democrats, assisted by Norris of Nebraska on the Republican side, had just conducted a successful raid against a similar proposal to raise the pay of Undersecretary Ogden Mills of the Treasury from $10,000 to $12,000. There was a two-day battle about that before the Mills raise was beaten.

Glass of Virginia, who supported the Mills boost, said with the authority of a former Treasury head that the undersecretary could be said "with a large degree of accuracy" to carry the burden of responsibility for the department not only in the absence of the Secretary but "even when the Secretary happens to be present." King of Utah, opposing, challenged consideration of the possible private earning capacity of any Government official.

"I see facing me on the Republican side a Senator who is patriotically serving state and country for $10,000 a year," he said. "He made millions in his business career and undoubtedly, if he were to devote himself to business pursuits, could make a very large sum annually."

Presumably King meant Cousens of Michigan and Ford company fame, but Robinson of Arkansas was amused.

"Every Senator on the other side thinks the Senator from Utah is looking at him," he said, and the Senate chuckled.

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By RUSSELL OWEN.

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Today the sun is shining warmly through the cutting wind that blows off the pack-ice only a few hundred yards away. The sky is blue and innocent of menace and white puffy clouds float lazily by. The horizon to the south is streaked with a pale peach tint and a thin cloud bank, an unusually beautiful effect, and below that is the white streak of the pack, hummocked and serrated where it has been forced up by the pressure.

A mile to the east is a solitary berg on the edge of a lead, glistening white in the sun. Between us and this scene of delicate color is the dark blue belt of the sea. Nothing could be more calm or more beautiful, and yet we know from experience that in a few hours the sky may be lowering and black, the air thick with snow and a gale blowing. It is treacherous, this Antarctic.

Characteristics of the Antarctic.

The sudden changes in the weather and the inaccessibility of the Antarctic are its distinguishing characteristics, the things which above all else mark it as a region different from the Arctic. Its geographical contrasts are, of course, equally great, but they have yet to be experienced and while slowly forcing our way through this vast expanse of snow-covered pack-ice, it is the isolation of this great continent and its storm belt which are most strongly impressed upon us.

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But down here the land, although one of the egreat continents of the world, as large as the United States and Mexico, is shut off by an abysmal deep which is covered most of the year by an impassable ice-pack. Grim, threatening and isolated, this vast extent of ice-clad land can only be reached with struggle and danger.

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It is this variability of the weather which is his greatest obstable. It has been studied by some able men, including Simpson, now the head of the British Meteorological Service, but the causes and the movement of the storms which pass over Antarctica are still somewhat clouded in mystery. This is due, of course, to the difficulty of obtaining observations at widely separated points, something which every scientist and leader who has gone down there has hoped would be some day accomplished, because of the wide influence of the Antarctic pressure movement.

Their periodicity at the main base, however, may be studied and some general con[illegible]ons drawn from them to aid [illegible] during his flights, and on this m[illegible]erological information much of his success may depend. It may readily be understood how dangerous it would be to a pilot to be caught in a storm which obscured a snow surface that was hard to define even in clear weather. Fortunately, however, most of Byrd's important flights will take place next season, giving an opportunity to collect a great deal of data upon which weather predictions may be made.

Vagaries of the Barometer.

Any one who has watched the terrible behavior of the barometer in thees latitudes must realize the difficulty in determining just what weather to expect. The vagaries of this instrument on the way from New Zealand to the Ross Sea have been an amusing study. It drops tb depths that would make a meteorologist in the states shake in his boots an dthe sun shines and gentle breezes blok. It will rise and a gale come out of the South and West.

Amundsen at Framheim once recorded a drop to 28.10 with only a moderate wind and a rise to 29.55 with a gale of 56 miles an hour, one of the few bad winds he experienced at his base.

But it must not be thought that the barometer can be interpreted by a reading opposite to the normal, for drops frequently mean storms, and it sometimes stays steady and high during good weather. Nearly every day it draws a curious wave on the chart, running sometimes from well above 29 as far as 28.80 and then back again.

At first these abnormal drops made us glance at the sky with some apprehension, but now we just wonder what the thing means and decide it probably doesn't know itself. But all this gives some slight indication of the difficulty of predicting weather conditions in Antarctic, and yet it must be done to some extent if Byrd is not to be caught in a severe storm while on one of his flights.

There are many advantages which to some extent offset the difficulties of a flight in the Antarctic when compared with one in the Arctic. At least a pilot is flying over a fixed surface instead of over the drifting ice of the Northern sea. It is possible to lay bases inland along the route of flying which would aid a crew forced down to get back to the main base, and most of the preparatory work aboard ship now is directed toward the placing and provisioning of these depots.

When Byrd flew to the North Pole he would probably have been lost if he had been forced down. He was faced with this possibility at one time, but kept on, and, fortunately, his motor did not fail. Amundsen came down and was three weeks on the ice, escaping by a miracle. When Nobile's airship was wrecked he and his men were on the ice in sight of land for weeks before they were reached. But in the Antarctic, for all its blizzards, there is a solid surface under foot which does not shift, and, with bases laid inland for 300 or 400 miles, any one being forced down not more than 200 miles from a base has a chance of getting home.

Plans for the Landing.

It is on these bases that work is being done now as we move slowly south through the ice pack. It is planned to send out dog teams southward over the barrier as soon as the City of New York reaches the Bay of Whales. The first two teams to go out will be trail markers. They will travel light and be accompanied by a navigator. At every 20-mile point a mark of some kind, probably a tent, will be left and flag markers put out on each side for two miles. Flags will also be left every mile along the trail. A small supply of food will also be left at these bases. At the 100-mile bases markers will be put out on each side for eight miles and at least 400 pounds of equipment and food. There will also be at these larger bases wind cones and markers for a landing field for the planes.

Following the light dog teams which will go ahead to select these positions will be freight teams of two sleds in tandem which will carry the heavy loads of food and supplies, and these loads may also be supplemented to some extent by loads carried forward by airplane after bases have been selected. The sleds are being overhauled, lists of food and supplies made up and packed, and all equipment made ready so that this work may be begun without delay. If it is possible to push these bases to the 300 or 400 mile mark this season, a distance which would put the last one well under the foot of the plateau, this will be done, and with good fortune we may arrive at the Bay of Whales early enough to do so.

One becomes very weary of making predictions down her and for the same reason there is no telling just how successful the crew of a plane would be in walking 200 miles pulling a light sled with a limited amount of food and other supplies. That is one of those problems which can only be solved by actual experience, but it is certain that with the bases there will be a much better chance of getting home than without them.

It must never be forgotten that the Antarctic wilderness differs from the Arctic principally in being entirely without animal life to supply food. There are no polar bears at all and no seals in the interior. So the Antarctic explorer must take with him everything he uses, and the fatalities which have occurred down here have been nearly all the result of this condition.

Scott and his companions wore themselves out pulling sleds and died weak with hunger a few miles from a cache which a blizard prevented them from finding.

On the Mawson expedition, when Ninnis fell through a crevasse with most of the food, Mawson and Mertz started back with meager rations and Mertz died of starvation. Mawson barely coming through because of his magnificent physique. In the Arctic under similar conditions it is probable that within a reasonable distance of the land polar bears or seal might be found occasionally.

An Advantage for Flying.

There is another flying condition in the Antarctic which may, if theory is correct, compensate to some extent for the uncertainty of the weather. It is believed that at a moderately high altitude, probably about 12,000 feet, the wind blows steadily toward the Pole, and lower down flows outward toward the sea. It is certain that at the Bay of Whales wind direction is generally from the south, and observations have shown a strong wind blowing toward the Pole at the same time.

This would make it possible for a pilot to take advantage of a tail wind if he could gain altitude quickly on the southward flight and to use the favorable lower winds on the return home. This condition is not paralleled in the Arctic, where the winds are less violent and more variable and so far as is known have no definite inward and outward flow corresponding to that in the Antarctic. The condition does prevail to some extent in Greenland, where there is also a large ice cap forming heaving downward currents that must be filled in above.

Thus it may be seen that the problems that face Commander Byrd are different in almost every particular from those of the North Polar flight. Getting to his base alone will consume as much time as the whole trip to Spitzbergen and back to New York, and after he arrives there he must spend much more time in preparation for the work of next season. But the reward will be correspondingly great, for whereas he had little hope of discovering anything new in the Arctic, he will have in the Antarctic a virgin field of activity limited only by the dictates of common sense and prudence. Wherever he flies there will be some discovery to be made, and if his program is carried out as he has planned he will map much more territory than has been possible by other expeditions.

Says France Does Not Wish to Hurt Germans

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I am concerned, any German who would disown his own country. One must, above all, be devoted to one's country in order to consecrate it to the welfare of humanity.

Would the occupation of the Rhineland be made cruel by lack of intelligence on the part of the authorities? I recall discreetly the four years of occupation of Belgium and the six Departments of France. The honorable ex-Chancellor compares our alleged severity with the idyllic liberalist, Bismarck. We recall that story of when the treaty of evacuation of March, 1873, was signed by Bismarck and Donant-Biron, compelling France to pay before May 10, 1873, 500,000,000 francs, which were previously scheduled to be paid on March 1, 1874; and the final billion before Sept. 5, 1873, previously scheduled to be paid on March 14, 1875. On Sept. 5, 1873, France had paid her war debts to the last centime, whereupon Germany liberated the soil she had occupied three years or more.

Finally, let us cease evoking the past and let us turn toward the future. Not only does France not want to stir up new difficulties for Germany. France, including her democratic elements, understands her duty, which is to aid the young German Republic for the greatest good of Europe and the world. Such are our sentiments at this moment, when a new effort toward reason and peace is about to begin.

$8,000,000 IN FRISCO BONDS

Authorized by I. C. C. to Secure Short Term Debts.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Permission to issue $8,000,00 4½ per cent bonds was given the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway today by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The securities will not be sold, but will serve as collateral to guarantee payments of short-term debts now outstanding against the railroad system.

Progress as Viewed by Knut Hamsun

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English that Mr. Armour ever read, and that it was worth $25 were merely his irony.

"America Is Not the World, It Must Live With Other Parts."

Once while I was working on the great Dairymple Farm in the Red River Vally I experienced the following: Some of the workers were sent over to a new section. On the way one of the men became ill and had to be left behind in a little prairie town we passed. When we had completed the work on the new section in the fall and we again passed the prairie town on the way back, the sick man had improved, but he was still weak. He had earned nothing, was without money and looked ill. While I stood there talking with him a $5 bill was stuck into my hand. A little later I got another $5 bill, later more—that was the help for our sick comrade.

Many, many examples of American helpfulness did I witness, and I could add to the ones mentioned. Granted that the rich American can afford to give; but with him, too, it means heart. And as charity, helpfulness is common also among the average nonwealthy Americans, it is certainly nothing less than a characteristic of the Nation.

It is, therefore, remarkable to us Europeans—that blind and senseless hardness which is given expression in certain American affairs of state. I mention the huge tariff walls against Europe, and I mention the iron-hard collection of Europe's war debt. As a layman, as a man in the street, I reason in this manner: Granted that America makes more money for the moment through its financial policies; but for the future, for all the years that are to come, for all the generations to be born? America can no more stand alone than any other country on the globe. America is not the world. America is part of the world, and it must live its life together with all the other parts.

III.

HAD I more space at my disposal in this newspaper I would have risked a few lines of a layman's observations regarding the modern spiritual life of America. There is a heaven-wide difference between the spiritual life of America today and that of my stay in the States during the 80s. America has always been overwhelming; made gigantic by its great affluence and intellectual forces. But today it has, in all fields, reached a height which is worthy of a great people. In several branches of science it is now said to be the accepted leader. I merely throw out a common European opinion. Art has made great advance; the fine arts are rich and replete with talent. Literature is flourishing, and more particularly the young novel-literature—in the United States the freshest and most original in the world, a renewal and an example for Europe. Schopenhauer has not been without influence here, nor has Nietache; but there are great independent spiritual workers within the American literature, apart from the poets. I would mention the pragmatic leader, William James.

Declares American Woman Is Most Beautiful in World.

If I had more space! I would have written of the wonderful children in America and of the American women, the most beautiful type of woman on this earth. In my younger days I saw a little of everything, and four of the five parts of the world. Of course, I have not seen much of them; but I have stood on my feet in the countries of white men and colored; but never did I meet such perfect feminine beauties as in the great cities of America. Of their faces, their bodies, all their limbs. In their behavior, their raffinements, their coquetry—of all this I keep a memory, of a revelation of beauty. And even then, I, as a workingman, never got a glimpse into the world of the higher classes.

I will make use of the space that still remains for me to pay my respectful tribute to the United States for the lesson they have given the world in honoring and esteeming labor. America works. America is teaching the world to be industrious. I am not thinking at this moment of the forced chase to win through, if necessary even revolver in hand. I am not thinking of the feverish work in the gold fields or of the howling speculation on the Stock Exchanges. I am thinking of the average American who has been given a head and a pair of hands to work with, and who uses both throughout his whole life. But who uses them too hard.

Nobody is too genteel and fine to do something in America, but the Nation, as a whole, seems to work in a tempo of feverish desire for gain. I read, in an autobiography by Henry Ford, that he places the machinery in his factories close together in order that the workers may be spared loss of time by taking one more step than absolutely necessary. Time is money and money is everything. That is to think exclusively according to the logic of the economically interested! In my days on the prairie we worked up to 16 hours a day to get the harvest in. Aside from everything else we could only work as niggers, as slaves, under such conditions. Our work was rough and ugly. We were not requested to do neat work—which, for the intelligent worker, is of ethical value. During cold mornings we warmed our oil cans by setting fire to a wheat stack of six sheaves. We were in a hurry; we had no time to gather up a lot of straw to make a fire!

"Progress Is Necessary Rest for Body and Peace for Soul."

Now it is this way that human life is short—oh, but let us have time to live it! By toiling we wear ourselves out and are useless before our time. Festina lente.

You Americans do not seem to be content with little. You want to be right on top. You want abundance. The Oriental stands as a contrast to this with his frugality, his born ability to do without. In Persia I saw hackmen sit on their drivers' seats and take alternate bites from a piece of bread and a cluster of grapes. That was their meal. They could do without meat. They could also do without a gold-cased pocket watch. I asked my driver when we would arrive in the next town. He looked up at the sun and replied:

"We must be there before the great heat." (the midday heat).

A poetical hour of the clock, almost like a line of a verse!

The American will reply that no comparison is possible here. A Ford car would have covered the short distance in less than one hour. Persia is one thing; progress is another. Very well. My driver drove a horse; he had time for that. It suited him, and on the road he conversed with his horse as if he were talking with his good friend. He asked the horse if it would not hurry up a bit—if it had no shame.

"Look at the sun," he said, "would you rather burn up?"

Progress—what is that? That we can drive faster along the roads? No, no. If men are to settle the reckoning in this way they will reach a deficit. Progress is the necessary rest for the body and the necessary peace for the soul. Man thrives upon progress.

Mexican Congress Adjourns.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 29. — The regular session of the Mexican Congress closed today, the Senate and Chamber appointing permanent committees to look after pending matters till the next session which is scheduled to open Sept. 1. The senate held its final session yesterday and the chamber this morning.

NEW AIR MAIL FLIGHT RECORD

Pilot Travels From Kansas City to Dallas in 3 hours, 50 Minutes.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—A record flight between Kansas City, Mo., and Dallas, Tex., by an air mail plane was announced today by the National Air Transport, Inc.

Pilot George Gorgan, in one of the company's new Curtiss Falcon planes, covered 541 miles in three hours and 50 minutes. The usual flying time is six hours and 10 minutes. Gorgan, who was aided by a 30-mile tail wind, broke his previous record by 13 minutes.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The tax bills for 1928 now due. All money for taxes must be in hands of Collector before close of business December 31st, to avoid penalties added January 1st.

EDMOND KOELN,
Collector of the Revenue

Purchases Charged Monday, the 31st, Payable February 1st.

Scruggs-Vanderwoort-Barney

Lower-Price Basement Store

These Special Values Are Offered in the

End-of-the-Month Sale

and Last Day of the CHRISTMAS CLEARANCE for Tomorrow—Monday the 31st

Odd Lots
House Dresses and Aprons
These Dresses and slip-on Aprons are soiled from display which explains the unusual value at this low price.
73c

Bloomers
Extra Size
Fine striped cotton satinette Bloomers with double elastic at the knee. Colors: peach or white.
79c

Misses' Middies
Sizes 18, 20, 22
For wear with skirts or gym bloomers. Color: white or white with red or blue collars.
50c

Junior Girls' Oxfords
Broken Sizes Former $4.98 Value
Smart and sturdy Oxfords for school and sport wear at a big reduction.
$2.98

Just Arrived for This Sale!
Women's Jersey Dresses
Sizes 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52
Specially Priced!
$3.95
Five styles in these large size Jersey Dresses. Colors: green, red, brown, black, navy.
Other Groups From Clearance Sale
$2.95 $7.95 $12.75
Sizes 14 to 50

Bathrobes
Marked to Clear
$2.85 Beacon Robes in large sizes. Plainly tailored or trimmed with wide satin banding.

Women's Vests
Sizes 34 to 42
10c Fine quality lisle Vests in pink or white . . . priced to clear.

Children's Hats
25c Our entire stock of children's Winter Hats at this ridiculously low price to clear.

Girls' Dresses
Sizes 7 to 14
$2.95 Values . . NOW $1.97
School Dresses of wool and cotton mixtures in fine checks or solid color. Correct styles.
$5.95 Values . . NOW $3.95
Wool jersey Dresses, French serge Dresses and velvet combinations in desirable styles and colors.

Girls' Coats
$7.85 Coats . . . NOW $5.13
Sizes 3 to 14 years. Fur trimmed Coats of novelty mixtures.
$10.75 Coats . NOW $7.17
Sizes 3 to 14 years. Well made, nicely lined, fur trimmed.
$12.75 Coats . NOW $8.50
Sizes 3 to 14 years. Tailored or fur trimmed Coats in good colors from our Winter stock.
$15.75 Coats NOW $10.50
Sizes 7 to 14 years. Novelty tweed and broadcloth fur trimmed Coats from our Winter stock.

54-In. Wool Coating
$2.98 and $3.98 Value, Now $1.98 Yd.
These Coatings were made by the best manufacturers in the country . . . Forstmann & Huffman, Strook & Co. . . . among others. So you may be sure of the quality. Many good colors to select from.

3-Yard Coat Lengths
$11.94 Reg. Value for 3 Yds. . NOW $5.94 For 3 Yds.
and $8.94
A large assortment of colors to select from.

Fur Trimmings
$1.98 & $2.98 Values . . NOW ½ Price

Coat Linings
Flat crepes, crepe de chines in many colors . . $1.66
Crepe de chine, brocaded silk in many colors . . $1.39

Shop Now . . . Clearance Sale Prices Mean Real Savings



WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.

HERE'S little doubt left now as to who holds the most unpopular Government It falls to the lot of Gen. Lord, budget ector, by testimony of no less an authorihan that dean of the Senate and veteran f of the appropriations committee, Warof Wyoming.

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HIS picture of the budget director's life and works failed to obtain Senate sym- y for a raise of pay of $2000 a year Gen. Lord. He now gets $10,000 a year, Senator Wheeler of Montana lit into raise-in-pay amendment when it ed up in the Senate and the fur flew a while—Gen. Lord's fur. Lord was olute dictator" on budget matters, the tanan asserted, adding that Congresal money committees had "abdicated" is favor.

t places him in a very ridiculous posiwhen he is advocating cutting down r salaries or keeping some one else getting an increase in salary to be elr coming here asking for a $2000 tmas present," Wheeler thundered, in- g that by approving the item Lord in effect making such a request. "I pposed to this official getting an inse until salaries of all Government emss shall be adjusted properly."

nator Warren took exception to Wheelsuggestion that Senators might hesitate pose the Lord raise for fear of reprisy the budget bureau against their own opriation projects. He also denied the request for a raise had originated Gen. Lord, but rather than delay action e appropriation bill withdrew the raise dment. That means, probably, that will stick at the $10,000 figure at another year.

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OBABLY Gen. Lord was in part a vicm of the circumstance that Senate crats, assisted by Norris of Nebraska Republican side, had just conducted essful raid against a similar proposal se the pay of Undersecretary Ogden of the Treasury from $10,000 to $12,. There was a two-day battle about that the Mills raise was beaten.

s of Virginia, who supported the boost, said with the authority of a Treasury head that the undersecrould be said "with a large degree of cy" to carry the burden of responsifor the department not only in the e of the Secretary but "even when the ry happens to be present." King of opposing, challenged consideration of ssible private earning capacity of any ment official.

e facing me on the Republican side tor who is patriotically serving state untry for $10,000 a year," he said. ade millions in his business career doubtedly, if he were to devote himusiness pursuits, could make a very m annually."

nuably King meant Cousens of n and Ford company fame, but on of Arkansas was amused.

y Senator on the other side thinks ator from Utah is looking at him," and the Senate chuckled.

Vandervoort's Month-End and Year-End Sale

Begins Monday Morning at Nine

Charge Purchases Will Appear on Statements Rendered February 1st

IT is an eagerly awaited event for thousands of thrifty buyers. It is of signal importance to those who buy carefully and exact high quality.

Throughout the store Vandervoort merchandise — dependable and desirable—wherever lots have become broken from selling—has been radically reduced for a spirited month-end, year-end disposal. Limited quantities suggest early buying.

Mail, Phone and C. O. D. Orders Received While Quantities Last

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Olive and Locust, From Ninth to Tenth

Month-End Corsets

23 Gossard Corsets, side fastening, front lacing. Incomplete line of sizes. Formerly $5, Now **$2.95**

30 Bien Jolie Bandettes made of pink silk ribbon. Formerly $1, Now **50c**

Corset Shop—Third Floor

Month-End Men's Shoes

97 Pairs Men's Oxfords. Regularly $7.50. **$4.95**

Men's Shoe Shop—Second Floor

Children's Shoes

Infants' and Children's Patent Strap Slippers, and Elk Oxfords. Sizes, Infants' 2 to Children's 11. Formerly $2.25 to $4.75, Now **$1.85** and **$2.85**

Children's Shoe Shop—Second Floor

Women' Shoes

475 Pairs discontinued lots of Pumps and Oxfords in satin, suede and patent—good size range in the group—low, medium and high heels—all the popular colors. Now **$4.00**

68 Pairs Mules, broken sizes. Formerly $5 to $8.50, Now **$3.95**

Women's Shoe Shop—Second Floor

Month-End Infants' Wear

60 Children's Coats and Coat Sets, in sizes 2 to 6 years. Wool fabrics, fur trimmed. Formerly priced at $24.95 and $22.95, now exactly ½ price. **$12.45** and **$11.45**

Infant Shop—Third Floor.

Month-End Woolens

Remnants in various lengths. Coatings and Dress Fabrics. ½ Present Remnant Price

75 Yards Wool Coating, 50 inches wide. Splendid quality. Formerly $2.98, Now **$1.98**

50 Yards Woolens in tweed effects, and some satin stripe twills. Formerly $1.50, Now **$1** Yd.

Woolen Shop—Second Floor

Month-End Wash Fabrics

350 Yard Dress Gingham, 32 inches wide. Checked and plaid effects. Formerly 25c, Now, Yd. **19c**

120 Yards Novelty Rayon Stripe in various colors. Formerly $1, Now, Yd. **50c**

175 Yards Cotton Crepe, 36 inches wide. Colored. Formerly 50c, Now, Yd. **39c**

150 Yards Micca Tweeds, cotton. 36 inches wide. Fast colors. Formerly 85c, Now, Yd. **75c**

100 Yards Blendon Flannelette, cotton and some wool. Striped effects. 36 inches wide. Formerly 40c, Now, Yd. **29c**

250 Yards Checked Nainsook, in pastel colorings. 36 inches wide. Fomerly 25c, Now, Yd., **20c**

Wash Goods Shop—Second Floor

Month-End Stationery

75 Boxes of Imported Stationery. Formerly $1.50, Now **75c**

Novelties for Bridge Prizes. Formerly 50c to $1.50, Now ½ Price

Dennison's Sealing Wax Sets. Formerly $1.00, Now **50c**

Stationery Shop—First Floor

Toilet Articles

275 Bottles of Lionceau's Toilet Water, in Chypre. Narcisses, Rose, Brise d'Indies, Violet, Place de l'Opera and Jasmin Formerly $3.75, Now **$2.25**

Toilet Goods Shop—First Floor

Handkerchiefs

250 Women's Handkerchiefs, of white and colored Linen, with embroidery. Formerly 25c, Now **17c**

180 Women's Handkerchiefs, white and colored linen, embroidered. Formerly 50c, Now **35c**

85 Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, white or colors. Formerly 35c and 50c, Now **25c**

Handkerchief Shop—First Floor

Art Needlework

1000 Yards Laces for Trimming, in various widths. Formerly 10c to 50c Yard, Now ½ Price

20 Chinese Embroidery Pieces. Formerly $3.75 to $5.75, Now **$1.50** and **$2.00**

12 Tapestry Brocade Scarfs, for use on tables. Formerly $2.75, Now **$1.00** and **$1.25**

24 Telephone Screens, of leatherette, hand painted. Formerly $1.25, Now **50c**

5 Children Desk Pads. Formerly 85c, Now **30c**

7 Silk Pillows. Formerly $3.50, Now **$1.95**

Art Needlework—Second Floor

Boys' Clothing

69 Wool Plaid Scarfs. Formerly $1.00, Now **50c**

184 Plaid Wool Scarfs. Formerly $1.50, Now **75c**

75 Outing Flanel Sleepers, 2, 3 and 4 years. Formerly 75c, Now **29c**

37 Wool-Mixed Union Suits, large sizes. Formerly $1.75, Now **69c**

12 White Waist Leggings, broken sizes. Formerly $2.00, Now **59c**

20 Boys' Two-Knicker Suits, in broken sizes. Formerly $15.00, Now **$7.99**

25 Boys' Suits, with two pairs knickers. Sizes 17 and 18. Formerly $10.00, Now **$2.99**

7 Small Boys' Overcoats. Formerly $7.98, Now **$3.99**

10 Juvenile Suits, wool combinations. Formerly $5.00, Now **$1.99**

7 Sheep-Lined Coats. Formerly $10.00, Now **$3.99**

Boys' Shops—Second Floor

Month-End Umbrellas

Women's 16-Rib Silk Umbrellas. Were $5, Now $3.85

Women's 16-Rib Silk Umbrellas. Were $6.95, Now $4.95

Women's 16-Rib Silk Umbrellas. Were $8.95, Now $6.95

Umbrella Shop—First Floor

Month-End Books

500 Volumes of Fiction, slightly soiled and damaged. Formerly 75c, Now **35c**; 3 for **$1**

Aisle Tables—First Floor

300 Volumes — Including History, Biography, Travel, etc. ½ PRICE

Book Shop—Seventh Floor.

Men's Furnishings

306 Men's Athletic Shirts and Fancy Shorts. Formerly $1.00, Now **50c**

173 Men's $2 and $3 Shirts, broken sizes, some slightly soiled. Now **85c**

31 Men's Plaid Silk Mufflers. Formerly $2.50, Now **$1.25**

120 Men's Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs. Formerly $1.00, Now **55c**

Men's Furnishings—First Floor

Religious Goods

Ivortine Crucifixes, with plain or fancy cross. Formerly $1.75, Now **$1.25**

"Little Flower" Statues, 12 inches high. Formerly $1.00, Now **65c**

Rosaries, with black cocoa beads on sterling silver chain, plain or fancy cross. Formerly $2.50, Now **$1.75**

"Manual of Catholic Devotion," bound in flexible leather, vest pocket size, large type. Formerly $1.95, Now **$1.25**

Book Shop—Seventh Floor

Sporting Goods

4 Men's Sports Jackets.	Were $16.50, Now	**$11.50**
1 Man's Sports Jacket	Was $5.75	**$4.00**
1 Man's Sports Jacket.	Was $13.50, Now	**$9.50**
2 Men's Sports Jackets.	Were $10.00, Now	**$7.00**
5 Men's Windbreakers.	Formerly $16.50, Now	**$11.50**
3 Men's Suede Shirts.	Were $15, Now	**$10.50**
6 Men's Suede Jackets.	Formerly $18.50, Now	**$13.00**
1 Oshkosh Golf Bag.	Was $24.50, Now	**$17.50**
1 Oshkosh Golf Bag.	Was $16.50, Now	**$12.00**
1 Oshkosh Golf Bag.	Was $13.00, Now	**$9.50**
1 Oshkosh Golf Bag.	Formerly $15.00, Now	**$11.25**
1 Oshkosh Golf Bag.	Formerly $19.75, Now	**$14.75**
1 Oshkosh Golf Bag.	Formerly $25.50, Now	**$18.00**

67 Pairs Alumo Ice Skates, with shoes attached. Formerly $7.95, Now **$6.35**

57 Pairs Alumo Ice Skates, with shoes attached. Formerly $5.95, Now **$4.35**

Sporting Goods Shop—First Floor

Month-End Bedding

4 Fine Quality Fancy-Top Blankets, soiled samples, 60 and 72 inch size. Formerly $17.50 to $18.50, Now **$10.00**

2 Brocade Satin Wool-Filled Comforters, samples. Formerly $45.00, Now **$27.50**

1 Hand-Stitched Silk Lamb's Wool-Filled Comforter, sample. Formerly $50.00, Now **$35.00**

8 Dolly Madison Extra-Quality Striped and Brocade Bedspreads, 72x108. Formerly $17.50, Now **$8.95**

Bedding Shop—Fifth Floor

Radios and Phonographs

1—R.C.A. 16, 6-tube, battery operated, now	**$25.00**
1—Atwater-Kent 33, 6-tube, battery operated	**$25.00**
1—Federal in fine walnut cabinet, 6 tube, electrically operated	**$225.00**
2—Sonoras 875—In attractive walnut cabinet, 7-tube, loop operated, now	**$195.00**
2—Sonoras 865—In attractive cabinet, 6-tube, electrically operated	**$138.00**
3—Victor Orthophonic—In combination with R.C.A. Radio, in attractive cabinet	**$175.00**
1—Airchrome Speaker Cabinet, now reduced to	**$12.50**
2—Stromberg Magnetic Tone Speakers	**$10.00**
4—Radio Cabinets, each in different style	Half Price
3—Used Victrolas	**$25.00**

Music Shop—Sixth Floor.

Month-End Housewares

$5.50 Glass Serving Platters, metal frame **$2.95**

69c Potato Ricers, colored handles **49c**

$1.00 Kitchen Refuse Pails, white enameled **69c**

$5.50 Udell Ironing Board and Stand, finest quality **$3.95**

$12.95 White Porcelain-Top Kitchen Cabinet Base, 20x24-inch top **$9.95**

85c Cast Iron Skillets, No. 8 size, polished finish **50c**

$3.95 Magazine or Fireside Baskets, of plain willow **$2.50**

Imported Fancy Pudding Molds, very limited quantity ½ Price

$1.00 Waste Paper Baskets, in oval shape, decorated fiber **50c**

Brass Crafter Bathroom Mirrors, metal frame, finest plate glass ⅓ Off

$1.00 Relish Dishes, nickel tray with colored glass inset **50c**

$1.00 Crumb Sweepers, colored finishes, while they last **50c**

Wrought Iron Fireplace Sets and Andirons at ⅓ Off

Housewares Shop—Downstairs

Month-End Linoleums

100 Square Yards Felt Base, in remnants up to 12 square yards. Formerly 65c Sq. Yd., Now, Sq. Yd. **49c**

21 Felt-Base Rugs, size 6x9 feet. Formerly $5.75, Now **$4.95**

3 Linoleum Rugs, in discontinued patterns. Formerly $17.95, Now **$9.75**

Linoleum Shop—Fourth Floor

Electrical Goods

2 Eden Washers, used as demonstrators. Formerly $170, Now **$135.00**

1 Eden Washer, used for demonstration. Formerly $155, Now **$ 99.00**

3 Eden Washers, used for demonstration. Formerly $155, Now **$105.00**

4 Electric Ironers, used for demonstration. Formerly $160, Now **$ 97.00**

25 Electric Irons. Formerly $2.75, Now **$ 2.35**

40 Electric Toasters. Formerly $3.75, Now **$ $2.49**

15 Electric Pads. Formerly $5.95, Now **$ 4.95**

30 Electric Hot Plates. Formerly $1.50, Now **$ 1.00**

6 Therapeutic Lamps. Formerly $6.50, Now **$ 4.95**

10 Fireless Cookers. Formerly $10.00, Now **$ 6.25**

2 Electric Cleaners, used for demonstration. Formerly $42.50, Now **$ 34.50**

Electric Shop—Downstairs

Month-End Rugs

1 Lakewood Wilton, 11.3x15. Former Price, $162.50, Now **$109.75**

1 Wool Wilton, 11.3x15. Former Price, $146.00, Now **$129.50**

1 Bangor Wilton, 11.3x15. Former Price, $168.75, Now **$127.50**

1 Wool Wilton, 11.3x18. Former Price, $197.50, Now **$147.50**

2 Wool Wilton, 9x12. Former Price, $59.50, Now **$ 42.95**

1 Wool Wilton, 9x12. Former Price, $69.75, Now **$ 49.75**

1 Oval Cotton Chenille Rug, 36x72 inches. Former Price, $13.75, Now **$ 6.95**

1 Wool Bath Rug, 27x60 inches. Former Price, $12.00, Now **$ 5.75**

1 Imported French Oval Rug, 27x54 inches. Former Price, $15.00, Now **$ 7.50**

1 Handmade Braided Oval Rug, 39x62 inches. Former Price, $22.75, Now **$ 17.50**

1 Handmade Braided Oval Rug, 32x51 inches. Former Price, $15.50, Now **$ 11.95**

1 Handmade Braided Oval Rug, 36x62 inches. Former Price, $21.00, Now **$ 15.95**

35 Leather Door Mats:

13x26 in.	Former Price, $3.00, Now	**$ 1.50**
15x28 in.	Former Price, $4.00, Now	**$ 2.00**
17x31 in.	Former Price, $4.75, Now	**$ 2.35**
19½x33 in.	Former Price, $5.75, Now	**$ 2.85**

1 Chenille Rug, 3.10x14.9. Former Price, $50.00, Now **$ 19.50**

1 Saxony Rug, 3x9. Former Price, $37.50, Now **$ 18.50**

1 Chenille Rug, 3x18.6. Former Price, $60.00, Now **$ 19.50**

1 Chenille Rug, 2.7x10.4. Former Price, $22.75, Now **$ 9.00**

1 Chenille Rug, 2.3x19.6. Former Price, $34.00, Now **$ 29.50**

1 Chenille Rug, 2.3x10.9. Former Price, $34.00, Now **$ 19.50**

1 Lym Persian Rug, 3x12. Former Price, $39.00, Now **$ 19.50**

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor

Month-End Carpets

22½ Yards Velvet Carpet. Formerly $3.00 Yard, Now, Yd. **$1.85**

10½ Yards Velvet Carpet. Formerly $2.25 Yard, Now, Yd. **$1.50**

40½ Yards Velvet Carpet. Formerly $4.50 Yard, Now, Yd. **$2.75**

24 Yards Wilton Carpet. Formerly $4.50 Yard, Now, Yd. **$2.95**

34½ Yards Velvet Carpet. Formerly $3.00 Yard, Now, Yd. **$1.69**

16¾ Yards Velvet Stair Carpet. Formerly $4.00 Yard, Now, Yd. **$2.75**

15 Yards Velvet Carpet. Formerly $3.00 Yard, Now, Yd. **$1.69**

Carpet Shop—Fourth Floor

Camera Shop

25 Photograph Albums, of genuine leather, loose leaf style. $3 Value, Now **$2.00**

Camera Shop—First Floor

Month-End Curtains

50 Yards Sunfast Material, 50 inches wide. Formerly $2.45 yard, Now, Yd. **19c**

350 Yards Sunfast Voile and Grenadine. Formerly 85c yard, Now, Yd. **50c**

50 Window Shades, soiled. Formerly $1.25 to $2.50, Now **25c**

1 Lot Drapery Trimmings, including fringes, edges, tassels, at ½ Price

1000 Yards Cretonne, imported and domestic. 36 and 50 in. Formerly 75c to $2.25 yard, Now, Yd. **45c**

150 Yards Curtain Nets. Formerly $1.50 to $2.25, at, Yd. **79c**

1 Lot Drapery Remnants, including nets, cretonnes, denims, damasks, and brocades. To go at ½ the marked price, making them one-fourth the original price.

6 Pairs Colored Organdy Curtain Sets, with valances. Formerly $8.75 to $12.50, Now, Pair, **$3.25**

7 Grenadine Flounced Panels, finished with lace ruffling. Formerly $2.35, Now, Each **$1.00**

10 Imported Grenadine Valance Sets, orchid, blue or gold. Formerly $8.50, Now **$3.95**

7 Pairs Voile Ruffled Curtains. Formerly $2.25, Now, Pair **$1.35**

72 Lace Panels, finished in fringe. Formerly $1.50, at, Each **95c**

4 Pairs Colored Irish Point Curtains. Formerly $17.50, Now, Pair **$9.85**

Curtain Shop—Fourth Floor.

China and Glassware

35 Imported Glass Vases, Compotes and Bowls—hand decorated Formerly $2.65, each **$2**

22 Imported Vases, Bowls, etc., of enameled glass. Regularly $6.75 to $18.50 ¼ Off

75 Pieces of Imported Glass, emerald and ruby trimmed. Regularly $3.50 to $8.50 ½ Price

2 Epergnes, three-arms, of emerald or rose glass. Regularly $6 **$3**

50 Lily-shaped Candlesticks, in green, amber, or orchid. Regularly $1 **50c**

200 Vases, Bowls, Candlesticks, and other glassware pieces ½ Price

125 Glass—tall Sherbets and Cocktail Glasses, of No-Nik clear crystal. Regularly $8 a dozen, each **40c**

200 Odd Glasses. Regularly 25c to 50c, each **15c**

250 Glasses—Odd pieces, with minor imperfections. each **10c**

125 Pieces of China—Cups and Saucers, Flower Holders, etc. Regularly 35c to 50c **25c**

87 Pieces—Flower Bowls, Odd Plates, Cups and Saucers, Platters, Pickle Dishes and After-Dinner Coffees. Regularly 75c and $1 **50c**

135 Pieces—Open Vegetable Dishes, Divided Plates with Cups, Butter Dishes, Candlesticks. Cups and Saucers. Regularly $1.25 to $2 **$1**

95 Pieces—Sugar Bowls, Teapots, Covered Vegetable Dishes, Butter Dishes, Cheese and Cracker Dishes, etc. Regularly $3.50 to $4.75 **$2**

15 Imported Limoges Vegetable Dishes and Soup Tureens, with gold encrusted borders. Regularly $27.50 **$7.50**

75 Imported China and Semi-Porcelain Meat Platters, 10-in. to 14-in. Regularly $2 to $15 **$1 to $5**

10 23-Piece Tea Sets of highly-coloured, hand-decorated china. Regularly $13.50 **$6.75**

15 7-Piece Salad Sets, of imported china, with lustre finish and bird and floral decorations. Regularly $7.50 **$3**

100 Imported Kitchen Bowl Sets, attractively decorated, 5 and 6 bowls to set. Reg. $1.39, set **79c**

65 Imported China Dresser Sets, in rose, green, or yellow, consisting of puff box and two perfume bottles. Regularly $1.95 **$1.49**

150 Pieces of Imperfect China. **5c to $5**

6 Dinner Sets, incomplete; at greatly reduced prices

China and Glassware Shop—Fourth Floor.

Month-End Furniture

Living Room

1 2-Piece Living-Room Suite, Formerly $495, Now **$245**

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1 Boudoir Chair, damask upholstered. Was $35, Now **$19.75**

2 Davenports, reversible cushions, mohair and tapestry. Was $150, Now **$65**

1 Love Seat. Was $110, Now **$75**

1 Love Seat, in silk, with down and hair filling. Was $195, Now **$145**

1 2-Piece Living-Room Suite, velour upholstered, solid mahogany frame. Formerly $195, Now **$75**

1 Nest of Three Tables, mahogany. Reg. $32, Now **$12.95**

1 Spanish Design Mirror. Formerly $116, Now **$65**

5 Mantel Mirrors. Now at Half Price

1 Occasional Table, William and Mary design, rosewood top. Formerly $125, Now **$45**

6 Screens, leather and cretonne, with decorated panels. ⅓ Off

Bedroom

1 Dresser and Bed, walnut, green decorated. Formerly $195, Now **$65**

1 Bed and Vanity, walnut veneer. Was $88, Now **$45**

1 Dressing Table, walnut veneer. Formerly $78, Now **$35**

6 Dressing Tables of walnut veneer. Was $70, Now **$35**

1 Walnut Vanity. Formerly $110, Now **$55**

1 Walnut Dresser. Formerly $57.50, Now **$45**

4 Odd Bedroom Chairs. Were $12.75, Now **$5.75**

1 Walnut Vanity. Formerly $65, Now **$45**

1 Walnut Veneer Vanity. Formerly $95, Now **$55**

1 Walnut and Gum Bed Formerly $49 and up, Now **$24.75**

1 Odd Bed. Formerly $39.50, Now **$19.75**

Dining Room

1 Dining Room Suite, 10 pieces, mahogany veneer. Formerly $585, Now **$475**

1 China Cabinet, decorated. Formerly $85, Now **$35**

1 Drop-Leaf Table, gray oak. Formerly $15.75, Now **$9.95**

3 Servers, walnut veneer, suitable for radio table. Was $42, Now **$19.75**

1 8-Piece Walnut Veneer Suite, buffet, table and chairs. Was $310, Now **$165**

3 Suites of table, buffet and chairs, walnut veneer. Was $278.50, Now **$125**

1 9-Piece Dining Suite, of china cabinet, buffet, table and chairs. Formerly $245, Now **$165**

Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.

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PART SIX

Noted Violin Virtuoso on KSD Tonight

Albert Spalding to Be Soloist in Atwater Kent Hour—Chicago Symphony Orchestra Will Feature Movement From Beethoven Work.

Excerpts from Grieg's "Peer Gynt" suite and Rimsky-Korsakoff's Scheherazade suite are to be played in the Peerless concert over KSD at 12:30 noon today. The program follows:

Excerpt from Scheherazade Suite, Rimsky-Korsakow
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SINGS IN KSD BROADCASTS



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New Tubes Promised by Next Spring

Two new tubes—one a power type, having about the same output capacity as a 210, but using only about 250 volts of B current, and a new AC screen grid tube of very high amplification ratio—have been perfected in the laboratory, according to the Associated Press. They will not be available, it is said, before early spring. AC shield grid tubes are now on the market, but the new type will have a still higher amplification factor.

Since completing the 222 shield grid tube, experts have been trying to make the screen grid amplifier more practical with an AC feed.

Working on the theary that the cathode heater is essential in this tube for house current, they have made it similar in appearance to the 222, but considerably different in internal construction. Its principal duties are prevention of oscillation in RF circuits with no necessity for neutralization, and high amplification.

The tube has five prongs, with a cap at the top for the grid lead. Its heater requires 2.5 volts at 1.75 amperes. Maximum plate voltage is 180 and that for the screen grid 75 volts. Plate current drain is 4 milliamperes. The control or input grid has a negative bias of 1.5 volts, while in some circuits a nine-volt bias in the heater lead aids in reducing hum.

A high amplification factor of 420 is credited to the tube. In actual use it will deliver a signal 20 to 40 times greater than one from a 201-A tube. Its plate resistance is 400,000 ohms, with the grid to plate capacity at the extremely low figure of .01 micro-microfarad.

To get the utmost from the tube, tuned circuits designed particularly for it are required. Careful shielding and filters in all leads entering the stage shields are essential.

The tube may be used as a detector with grid leak or with grid bias. For most efficient detection, the screen grid voltage should be 25 to 45.

The new output tube is described as an improved 171-A, with an undistorted power output of 1.6 watts, compared with .7 watt for the 171-A and 1.7 watts for the 210. Its plate voltage is much lower than the 210, being 250 maximum with a grid bias voltage of 50. The 210 requires 450 volts plate, while the limit for the 171-A is 180.

The filiament of the new tube is the raw AC type to be operated with 2.5 volts at 1.75 amperes. Its amplification factor is 3.5, as compared with 3.7 for the 171-A and 8 to 9 for the 210, and it has a plate resistance of 2000 ohms. It is the same size as the 210, being intended for use only in the last audio stage.

The output tube is to be marketed about April 1, and the screen grid some time after that date.

Decision as to four-tube receivers next season rests entirely upon the circuit designer. If he lays out his equipment to get the most out of the tubes that he will have to work with, five will be more than enough.

Two RF shield grid tubes in a set should be adequate with proper tuned circuits to give good selectivity, while designers of the new output tube say that one step of audio will be sufficient. A single audio stage obviates many of the difficulties encountered with two.

With a shield grid tube as a grid bias detector to handle the power be fed to it by two RF amplifiers capable of boosting a signal from 20 to 40 times per tube more than the 201a, there seems to be little need for more than four tubes.

Indications are that manufacturers have no intention of changing to shield grid tube receivers. Such shield grid sets as are introduced will be "fliers" to test the attitude of listeners.

KSD Voters' Service on Air Again on Jan. 8

Weekly Broadcasts to Review Work of Congress and Bring Talks and Discussions on Matters of Political and Economic Importance.

Arrangements have been made for another series of Voters' Service broadcasts over KSD and allied NBC stations. These programs will be similar to those that were generally acknowledged to have played an important part in educating the voters on the issues last summer and fall. They will be broadcast Tuesday evenings, between 6 and 6:30 o'clock, beginning Jan. 8.

As before, Charles G. Ross, head of the Washington Bureau of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, will review what Congress is doing every other Tuesday night. His first talk is scheduled for Jan. 8.

In addition, there will be talks by speakers of national reputation and debates and discussions on matters before Congress. Care is to be taken to avoid conflicts with the weekly Sunday night talks by David Lawrence on "Our Government."

The tentative January schedule for the Voters' Service series follows:

Jan. 8—Review of Congress by Charles G. Ross. Discussion of legislation before Congress by Senator Charles Curtis, Vice President-elect and Republican floor leader, and Senator Joseph T. Robinson, Democratic floor leader.

Jan. 15—Topic, "Some Historic Presidential Campaigns." Speakers—Franklin D. Roosevelt, Governor-elect of New York State, and Charles D. Hilles, vice chairman of the Republican National Committee.

Jan. 22—Review of "What Congress Is Doing." Speakers—Ashmun N. Brown, Washington correspondent of the Providence (R. I.) Journal, and Carlos G. Davilla, Ambassador to this country from Chile. Senor Davilla is to discuss "The Latin-American Point of View in the Pan-American Conference."

Jan. 29.—Topic, "Flood Control." Speakers — Major-General Edgar Jadwin, Chief of Engineers, United States Army; former Gov. John M. Parker of Louisiana and Robert Isham Randolph of Chicago.

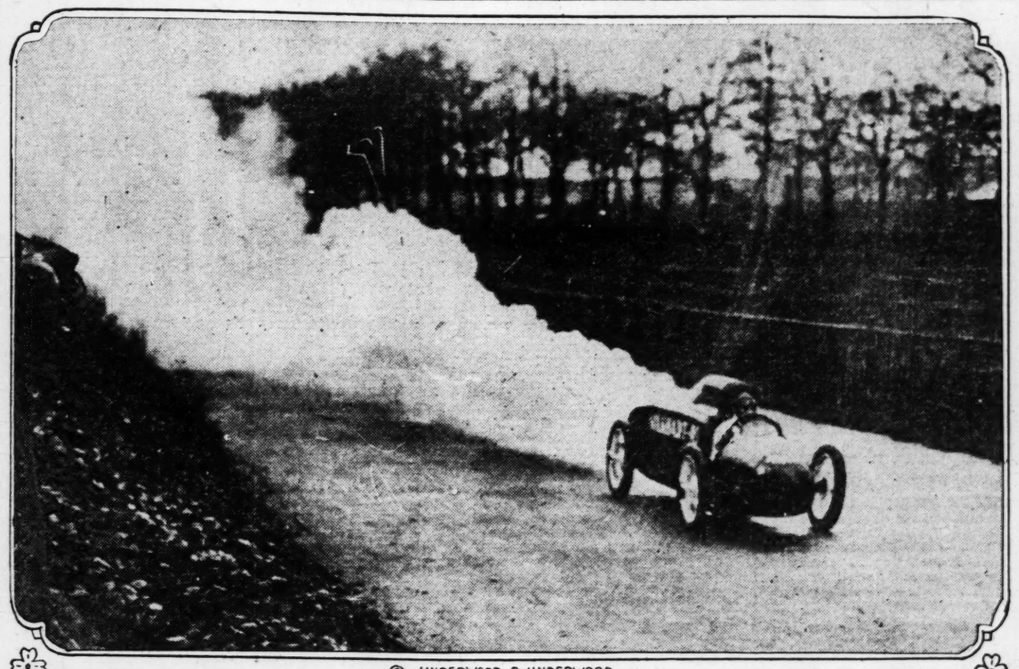
In putting this new series of broadcasts on the air, the National Broadcasting Co. again has the co-operation of the National League of Women Voters. The service will be administered by the same committee, and guided by the same policies, as in the past. The purpose is to carry into a non-political year the same type of impartial, nonpartisan information and interpretation as was broadcast before and during the presidential campaign.

Massachusetts to Beautify Highways

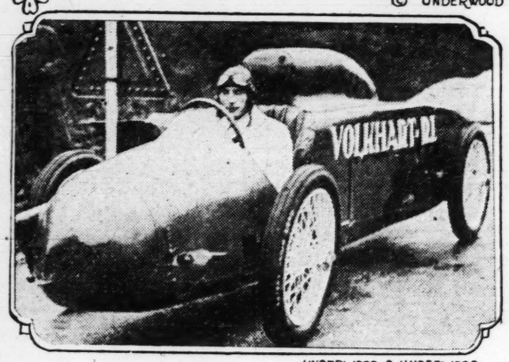
In Massachusetts the Department of Public Works has been empowered by law to make roadside improvements, the work including such planting, replacements and care as may be necessary in the future. When a road is laid out as a State highway it is to be made sufficiently wide to provide an area on each side of the traveled portion for roadside improvement. No tree, shrub or plant within such a highway can be cut, removed or new ones added without a permit from the Highway Department. The State has a nursery at Palmer.

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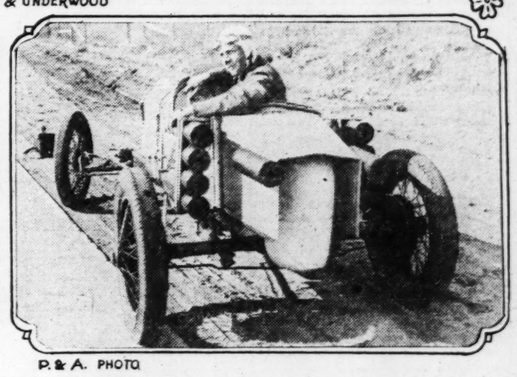
NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN ROCKET-DRIVEN AUTOMOBILES



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AT TOP—The successful speed test of the new type rocket car, designed by Herr Volkhart, on the Avus track near Berlin, Germany. LOWER LEFT—The inventor seated in his car. Note how far forward the driving position is. LOWER RIGHT—An American experimentor, Lou Moore, with his model which is being tested on the dirt track at Santa Monica, Cal. The cars are operated through an explosion of rockets which are held in steel chambers at the rear. Fuses are connected with the rocket sockets and are linked on an auto switchboard, controlled from the driver's seat. The rockets are discharged by means of an electric spark. Cars so propelled have attained speeds of more than 100 m. p. h.

Car 37 Years Old Finishes 52-Mile Race

By the Associated Press.

BRIGHTON, England, Dec. 29.—Two of the first American automobiles imported into Europe, a Cadillac, built in 1903, and an Oldsmobile of the same year, figured prominently in a race from London to Brighton recently. The last named car was the fifth to reach its destination. All the ancient motor cars in the British Isles participated.

Ranging in age from 25 to 37 years, the majority of these vehicles succeeded in accomplishing the 52-mile journey. This demonstration, apart from sentimental interest, served to illustrate the wonderful workmanship put into the very earliest of cars. Many of the

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Speed Outstrips Reaction Of Brain, Segrave Declares

By the Associated Press.

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Dec. 29.—If man is to keep pace with mechanical development of speed machines, he needs a supercharger, dual ignition and four speeds forward on mental processes and nervous reactions, in the opinion of Maj. H. O. D. Segrave.

The first man to travel 200 miles an hour on land, he will attempt next March to exceed 235 miles an hour over the beach course here.

The British driver frankly has admitted to friends here that nearly four miles a minute is faster than his own mental and nervous reactions. He so learned in the spring of 1927, when he drove the British built "Mystery S" to a record of 203.8928 miles an hour. The fact was impressed forcibly on him when the huge machine made "match sticks" out of three flaring colored course markers before he even saw them.

To obviate another such occurrence, Segrave has equipped the machine for the new test with something that might serve as a supercharger. He will steer by telescope rifle sight, training the telescope, mounted through his windshield, on a target at the end of the nine-mile course and making no attempt to gauge direction by nearer objects.

The Major has figures to prove that whatever may be the speed of thought and nervous impulses, they do not go 240 miles an hour, basing his calculations on what he says is an authoritative opinion that it takes a mental impulse sixtenths of a second to be translated into physical action.

On that premise, at 240 miles an

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Highway Signs Standardized In 28 States

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Standard signs for use on the United State highway system adopted by the Joint Board of Interstate Highways in September, 1925, are now in use in 28 states. These states have completed the marking of the system within their borders, according to reports just received by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. The signs are of two general classes—danger and caution signs, and standard route markers.

Arkansas, Oregon, Connecticut, South Carolina, Louisiana, Delaware, Nevada and Idaho have marked 75 to 99 per cent of the roads. California, Kentucky, Utah

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Wisconsin Highways Surveyed by Plane

By the Associated Press.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 29.—A new method of survey of traffic on roads has been reported to the State Highway Commission. The surveys are made by airplane camera men.

The survey method as devised by A. N. Johnson of the University of Maryland, and explained to the State Highway Commission by E. F. Bean, State geologist and ex-officio member of the commission, and W. C. Buetow, State highway engineer, as part of their report on the highway research board meeting recently held in Washington.

Mr. Buetow was sent to the confesence as official representative of the commission, while Mr. Bean attended as a representative of the Association of American State Geologists.

The new traffic survey method was first attempted on the Baltimore-Washington road. The experiment consisted of taking a series of pictures of marked cars in the progress on the highway. Time between pictures was 13 seconds. When enlarged the photographs showed causes of traffic accidents, tie-ups and other problems of traffic control.

The highway research board is composed of representatives of national organizations interested in the development of the nation's highways. Connection with all phases of highway industry is maintained by means of research committees and representatives from State highway departments, universities and colleges.

Sir Herbert Austin To Visit Auto Show

Sir Herbert Austin, representing the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders of Great Britain, and Haritan Kassardjian, representing the automobile trade in Rumania, are among the delegates to International Days of the New York Automobile Show, which will be held at the Grand Central Palace, Jan. 5 to 12, 1929.

Visitors from 35 different countries will attend the International Days which are sponsored by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

Sir Herbert Austin is chairman of the Austin Motor Co., and is one of the leaders in motor transportation in Great Britain.

Road Patrol System for Missouri to Be Sought

Association for Street and Highway Safety Also to Recommend That State Legislature License Every Driver of an Automobile.

By the Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 29.—A driver's license for every person operating an automobile on Missouri roads, and a highway patrol system, will be the two principal recommendations of the Missouri Association for Street and Highway Safety to the 1929 Legislature.

A maximum fee of 50 cents for the driver's license would be placed by the association, although leaders expect it might be even as low as 25 cents.

All persons securing a license would be required to make affidavit of their ability to drive and of their physical fitness. In case of physical defects or any other reason preventing the persons from being a safe driver, the license could be revoked, upon discovery of the defect.

Fees collected from the licenses would be used for maintenance of the State highway patrol, under the safety association's plans. Any surplus would go to the road fund.

The highway patrol would be started with a force of 60, under a chief. Jurisdiction of the patrol would be placed with the State Highway Department, all appointments and orders coming from the Highway Commission. No fixed salary would be provided.

Patrolmen, mounted on motor cycles, would guard all State highway to prevent infraction of the traffic regulations only. They would have power to make arrests only for traffic violations. This power, however, would help materially in reducing the crime wave, leaders of the safety group believe, for nearly every criminal who uses the highways to escape breaks traffic laws in his flight.

Although the Missouri State Federation of Labor has announced its opposition to a State constabulary, they have, however, announced their approval of the highway patrol system advocated by the safety organization. Not much opposition to the highway patrol is expected.

Reduction of the fee on the driver's license to a maximum of 50 cents is expected to smooth out most of the unfavorable feeling toward this reform.



Frieda Hempel, operatic soprano, in General Motors Party on KSD tomorrow.



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At St. Louis Air Field

BIDS for the first section of a 75-room hotel to be erected at Parks' Airport are being let and work on the section, to contain 25 rooms, will begin soon.

The hotel will be a convenience for aerial travelers stopping at the airport, particularly for those desiring to make an early morning stat. A limited number of rooms will be reserved for flying students who may prefer the hotel to the dormitory accommodations now offered at Parks' Air College.

The first of five seven-passenger automobiles was delivered to Oliver Parks last week. The machines, Gardner sedans, will be used to transport visiting flyers and students between the airport and St. Louis and East St. Louis.

Christmas Dinner for Students.

Students at local flying schools had a Christmas vacation. Those attending the Von Hoffmann Flying School at Lambert Field, and Parks' Air College on the East Side who were unable to go home were the guests of the managment at Christmas parties. The Von Hoffmann party, attended by 65 students and instructors, was held at Carsonville Christmas eve. A cigarette case and lighter set were given to M. L. Bouss, manager of the school, by employes of the concern.

Seventy-nine students of Parks' College ate a turkey dinner in the airport cafeteria Christmas day. A dance orchestra furnished music during the afternoon.

All employes of the Robertson Aircraft Corporation received a bonus of a week's salary at a Christmas present.

Santa at Lambert Field.

Santa Claus landed at Lambert-St. Louis Field Christmas day. He was Otis Hubener, co-pilot on a trimotored Fokker belonging to Western Air Express. The ship left Teterboro, N. J., Christmas eve laddeb with 2000 gift packages. Hubener donned Santa Claus attire before landing at Washington, Cincinnati and at Lambert Field, distributing gifts to such children as happened to be about. Those accompanying Santa Claus were Cy Morehouse, pilot; Bert McConnell of the editorial staff of Literary Digest, and Mrs. McConnell, and Phil Philbin Jr., public relations director for Western Air Express. The ship took off Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal., where it will be put in passenger service.

Christmas Air Mail.

More than a ton of air mail was carried between St. Louis and Chicago by the Robertson Aircraft Corporation during the seven days preceding Christmas. The shipments included numerous bulky Christmas packages, which filled the mail compartments of the planes to capacity. Dec. 22 two planes were required to carry 330 pounds of mail from Chicago to St. Louis. The mail carried during the seven-day period totaled 2200 pounds.

Equipped for Blind Flying.

"Boots" Dempsey made a trip to Carrollton, Mo., in Oscar Johnson's new Stearman last Sunday. The ship has dual instrument boards and is equipped for blind flying.

Air Traffic Code.

The draft of a proposed air traffic code for Missouri is being prepared by the Legislative Committee of the Chamber of Commerce Air Board and probably will be presented at the coming session of the State Legislature. The proposed code will be similar to the Federal code and to air traffic rules in effect in other states.

Actors Go A-planing.

Members of Abe Lyman's orchestra and of the cast of "Good News," appearing at a local theater, were the guests of officials of the Mahoney-Ryan Aircraft Corporation Thursday. The visitors were treated to rides in a Ryan boughan piloted by "Red" Harrigan, test pilot for the Mahoney-Ryan Co.

Old Mail Pilot a Visitor.

John Hinchey, a member of the small group of aviation enthusiasts who flew sputtering Canucks and Standards over Forest Park from the old air mail field on Oakland avenue, was a Christmas visitor to St. Louis. Hinchey is distributor for the Velie Monocoupe at Los Angeles, Cal., and made the trip from the coast in one of the little ships. Other members of that early group of S. Louis flyers still in aviation are Maj. William B. Robertson, president of the Curtiss-Robertson Airplane Manufacturing Co.; Frank H. Robertson, president of the Robertson Aircraft Corporation; Maj. C. Ray Wassall, commander of the Thirty-fifth Division Air Service; O. E. Scott, manager of Lambert-St. Louis Field; Earl Baskey, special representative of the Mahoney-Ryan Co., now on his way to China with a shipment of five planes, andseveral more.

Deer Hunters Go by Plane.

Phil DeC. Ball the flying baseball magnate, and his pilot, Frank Dunn, departed Frida in Ball's Ryan brougham for their annual deer hunt in New Mexico. They expect to be gone several weeks.

Woman Aerial Tourist.

Mrs. Lottie G. Brenner of Chicago, who has gained notice recently through aerial travels, was aboard the passenger plane for Chicago Thursday. Mrs. Brenner recently completed an air tour of Mexico and was accompanied by two Mexican students who are to enter a Chicago school.

In Conference at Washington.

John C. Nulsen, general manager, and W. A. Mankey, chief engineer of the Mahoney-Ryan Aircraft Corporation, are in Washington conferring with Department of Commerce officials.

To Fly in Hoover's Honor.

An invitation to participate in an aerial demonstration over Washington during the presidential inaugural ceremonies next March 4 has been extended the Robertson Aircraft Corporation, air mail operators. The invitation states that 60 leading commercial aviation concerns have been asked to participate. The Robertson corporation will send several planes to Washington.

Travel-Air Sold.

Lenius E. Schaefer of Belleville bought a Travel-Air from Parks Air College last week.

Buys Mail Pilot's Ship.

A. W. Phillips, a graduate of the Robertson Flying School, bought a Hiso-Standard from R. D. Newton, air mail pilot.

To Handle Advertising.

Robert B. D. Adams has been appointed assistant sales manager in charge of advertising for the Mahoney-Ryan Aircraft Corporation. Adams, whose home is at Omaha, was with the Mahoney Co. at San Diego, Cal.

Phil Love Visits Cincinnati.

Phil Love, flying partner of Col. Lindbergh, flew to Cincinnati to spend Christmas with friends.

Overhauling Motors.

The Robertson Aircraft Corporation is doing a good business in overhauling OX-5 motors. An average of 12 OX-5s are overhauled weekly.

Largest Flying School.

Parks' Air College is the largest commercial flying school in the United States with an enrollment of 408 students. The flying course is more popular than the mechanics course, with an enrollment of 231 students, as compared with 177 in the mechanical course. Since last March approximately 100 graduates of the flying school have received limited commercial licenses. Beginning next March a course in night and instrument flying will be established. Twenty-seven students have registered for this course to date.

Brokers Fly to Party.

Four local representatives of Merrill, Lynch & Co., brokers, flew to Chicago Friday in the trimotored passenger plane to attend the annual party of their firm. Those making the trip were: Donald W. Moore, Jack Lane, T. R. Ferrenbach and Miss Henrietta Schilling.

Gray Goose Manager a Visitor.

Jack Berry of Chicago, manager of the Gray Goose Air Lines, was a visitor at Lambert Field, arriving Thursday in a Stinson.

From Other Cities.

Visitors at Parks' Airport during the week included William Danger, Tulsa, Ok., to Pittsburg, Pa., in a Stearman; H. G. Long, Kansas City, Mo., and return, and C. R. Moore, Tulsa and return.

Barry Seeks Concession.

Capt. John Berry, veteran St. Louis balloonist and one of the first men to make a parachute jump from an airplane, is seeking to obtain a concession for a refreshment stand at Lambert-St. Louis Field.

Old Sheds Torn Down.

There has been a general clean-up of unsightly sheds at Lambert Field. A number of old frame structures have been torn down and more are to go before the bond issue improvements are put in. The National Guard hangars are to be repainted gray instead of black.

Visits Chicago.

Mrs. Clarence L. Wolff of Clayton, accompanied by her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Sieling of Omaha, flew to Chicago Friday as passengers in the Ford all-metal airplane, operated daily by the Robertson Aircraft Corporation. They will return by air tomorrow after visiting friends. Mrs. Wolff is the wife of Clarence L. Wolff, an attorney.

Michigan Prepares For Annual Battle On Perilous Snows

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Dec. 29.—Michigan's romantic wooded northland is arming for its annual battle of the snows.

New fleets of trucks, tractors and snow plows are to supplant dog and horse teams and shovels in breaking the mountain like white barriers, which have taken heavy toll of suffering, privation and even famine and death in the far reaches of the timber country.

Just as winter, with its ice packs has wrought havoc to shipping in the upper regions of the Great Lakes, raging blizzards have spread peril on land. Lumber camps and villages have been isolated from the outside world, and disease, starvation and death stalked behind the high walls of snow.

Mindful of the plight of Detour, small community in the St Mary's River valley, 60 miles from a railroad, which last winter was snow bound for weeks during which its 500 inhabitants were on short rations, State and county officials have taken steps to prevent a repetition of that condition.

The Government sent two airplanes here and one of them made several trips to the village with supplies and mail. A dog team, however, was the first to fight through the blockade. An improvised snow-mobile, equipped by a Sault Ste. Marie newspaper, also managed to reach the town. But it was several weeks before a highway was broken through.

To avert snow blockades this year, the State has widened and straightened highways in the upper peninsula, and has brought improved and more powerful snow plows into the region. Volunteer snow fighting forces have been recruited, and certain sections of roadway assigned to them.

Michigan this year has added 350 miles of highway to the winter maintenance program, making a total of 7041 miles to be kept open.

No Guesswork in Auto Industry Now, Engineer Declares

AUBURN, Ind., Dec. 15.—The most remarkable achievement of the automobile industry in recent years has been the removal of guesswork from automobile design, William B. Barnes, research engineer for Auburn, declared during an address here yesterday.

"Only a few years back," Barnes said, "there was always a hesitancy on the part of the buying public to purchase a new model until it had been in production for some time and many thousand were on the road.

"Today, automobile manufacturers bring out new models and the public accepts them without question, the tendency of individuals now being to be first on the streets with one of them.

"Unquestioanbly the most illustrative example of this attiude was the new Ford car when thousands of orders were placed for Model A long before specifications were ever announced.

"In my opinion the chief reason for this change in attitude has been the work of the experimental and research departments of automobile factories and the thorough testing out of every part in its relation to the completed car by these engineers. Automobile companies have learned from experience that a new car must "be right" before it is offered the public and the public has accepted this measure of certainty.

"At our own plant, for instance, no change is made in a car until that change has proved itself superior. We have experimental cars on the roads the year round, and these cars are put to the supreme test. If the vaunted "improvement" really holds up it is adopted; if not, then it is discarded, and never offered the public.

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The larger bodies of the new Superior Whippet afford more spacious interiors, with extra leg room and elbow room. The seats are wider and heavily upholstered, and have form-fitting contours. Both the front and rear springs of the new Superior Whippet have been considerably lengthened. The increased wheelbase, snubbers and oversize balloon tires further enhance the car's superb riding qualities.

Still the engineering leader

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HUDSON-ESSEX 1929 MODELS BEING SHOWN

Price Cuts and Numerous Refinements Announced.

Essex, a 70-mile-per-hour car; Hudson, more than an 80-mile-per-hour car; roomier and beautified body designs; much added equipment and price reductions of $50 to $200 a car, are the features of the new Hudson-Essex line for 1929 as announced today.

The 1929 Hudson with 64 improvements and the new Essex, the Challenger, with 76 go on display at the Hudson-Frampton Motor Co., Hudson-Essex distributer here, as part of a nation-wide program of simultaneous display.

Twenty-one body types are included in the new combined line, 10 more than in 1928, comprising the greatest variety Hudson has ever offered. Essex prices start at $695, Hudson prices at $1095. The Hudson is now presented on two increased wheelbases of 122 inches and 129 inches, while the Essex wheelbase remains unchanged.

Principal Essex improvements include four hydraulic shock absorbers as standard equipment, chromium plate, larger, roomier bodies, and a larger, more powerful motor.

The six bodies which have been added in the 1929 Hudson line are the town sedan at $1375; convertible coupe at $1450; the five-passenger standard phaeton at $1350; five-passenger sport sedan at $1850; and seven-passenger limousine at $2100; the sport phaeton to be priced later. The first three have wheelbases of 122 inches, while the last three are on 129-inch wheelbases.

The models which comprised the line last year and have all chassis improvements and redesigned bodies are the coach at $1095; the standard sedan at $1175; the coupe at $1195; the roadster at $1250; the landau sedan at $1500; the victoria at $1500; seven-passenger phaeton, price to come later, and the seven-passenger sedan at $2000. All of these with the exception of the last two named are on 122-inch wheelbases; these have wheelbases of 129 inches.

Two new body types added to Essex, the Challenger, are the town sedan at $850 and the convertible coupe at $895. The Essex base price is $695—with the coach, the 2-passenger coupe and the phaeton all at this figure; coupe with rumble seat is $725; standard sedan $795 and the roadster at $850.

Essex power has been increased 25 per cent and the Hudson power 14 per cent. There is increased torque, or pull, at low speeds which reflects directly on acceleration and gives greater power in hill climbing in both lines. The 1929 Hudson develops 92-horse power and Essex, the Challenger, 55-horse power. The former has a speed range up to 85 miles per hour and the latter's top pace is in excess of 70 miles per hour.

n both cars, a "moose horn" manifold equilizes the distribution of vaporized gasoline to the cylinders, resulting in balanced energy and more efficiency from every cylinder. Spark plugs are located over the exhaust valves, a new departure. Complete combustion is assured by raising the gasoline almost to the point of combustion by passing it over the hottest spot in the motor before firing. An automatic priming device assures engine operation in any temperature. On the vacuum tank is an exclusive "booster" attachment which assures an adequate and even supply of fuel to the motor.

Vibration in both cars is greatly minimized through elaboration of the patented Super-Six principle. A "cushioned" flow of power in Hudson lines is obtained through a Lancaster-type dampener and a clutch which uses a series of small spiral springs. An uninterrupted oil film over the entire surface of crankshaft and connecting rod bearings is obtained through a newly adopted bearing design for both.

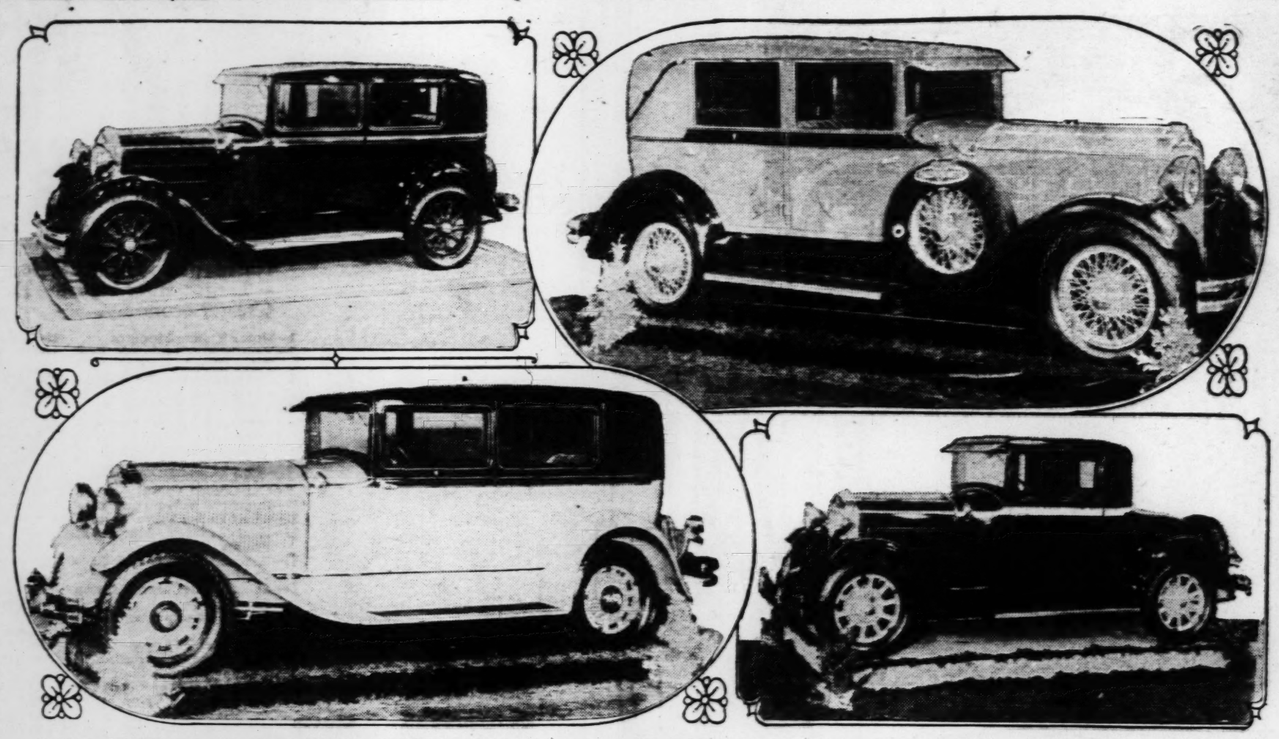
In addition to vital engine changes, 140 improvements in both lines include a multitude of refinements, one of which being an electrically controlled oil and gasoline indicator gauge on the instrument panel. The body developments are thorough-going from sound-cushioning insulation to distinctive hardware finished in chased silver, the motif being the pine cone in standard Hudson and Essex models and wild rose in special Hudsons. Upholstery in all models is of the finest quality—broadcloth and mohair in the Hudson, mohair and velour in the Essex cars.

A special, exclusive and patented composition, impervious to water, is used for lining the four-wheel brakes. Brake action is exceptionally positive but without grabbing. Hydraulic shock absorbers are on all models of both lines.

The Hudson hood is made higher and wider, the radiator shell, lamps, cowl lamp band and other bright work are chromium plated. Radiator shutters are standard on all models of the Hudson and Essex lines. The Essex Challenger radiator has been heightened, widened and lengthened, and the radiator and hood are slightly peaked. Radiator caps are snug setting and faceted in semi-modernistic design to match the hub caps.

The wheels are sturdy 10-spoked wood with a bold assurance of unusual strength. Right fender wells are standard, and on the greater Hudson all visible chassis parts are lacquered in the dominant body color. In all bodies the construction allows advantageous use of stream-line moldings that sweep back from the radiator,

FOUR BODY TYPES OF THE NEW HUDSON-ESSEX LINES FOR 1929



Upper left—Essex two-door coach. Upper right—Hudson four-door sport sedan. Lower left—Hudson two door coach. Lower right—Essex coupe with rumble seat.

STUDEBAKER OFFERS NEW "6" AND "8"

Commander Price Cut—Power of Presidents' Engine Increased.

Announcement of an improved Commander Six at a still lower price and a new President Eight with a motor of increased power was made today by Studebaker Corporation of America through the Lurie Motor Car Co., Studebaker-Erskine distributer here.

The new cars will make their formal debut at a special advance showing New Year's day in the distributer's showrooms at Grand and Lindell boulevards. Motorists thus will have an opportunity to see the new cars before they make their initial appearance at the New York Automobile Show Jan. 5.

The President is offered in two series with wheelbases which have been increased to 125 and 135 inches. Both series have the same 115 horsepower motor. The Commander Six chassis has a wheelbase of 120 inches, and a motor developing 75 horsepower. The new Commander enjoys the brilliant qualities that have made Commander performance a standard of comparison for the past two years.

A complete range of beautiful new body styles is offered on the new Presidents and Commanders. Bodies are longer, lower and roomier. They are fitted with non-shatterable safety glass windshields, with double blade windshield cleaners, and with adjustable front seats for the driver. Double drop frame construction has had a marked effect in lowering the height of the bodies and has given the cars an even lower center of gravity for increased safety and roadability.

Many features which make for increased comfort are evident in the body design. There is more leg room in both front and rear compartments. Rear seats are wider, affording ample room for three persons as a result of an increase in the width of the rear tread.

Wide crown fenders hang low over the wheels, flanking the bright chromium plated radiator and headlamps. The radiator is topped by a winged cap symbolic of Studebaker's championship speed, and the same winged motif is carried out in the design of head and cowl lights. Chromium plate is used on lamps, cowl beading, bumpers and the big hub caps.

Details of the interior treatment of the President and Commander bodies reveal a new degree of luxurious comfort and beauty. The wide form fitting seats are deeply cushioned on pillow type springs. Rear seats are flanked by heavily upholstered arm rests. The broughams are also fitted with a folding arm rest in the center of the rear seat. Upholstery fabrics are rich mohair, broadcloth, or Bedford cord, with genuine leather in the open cars.

The complete appointments include eight-day clock, smoking set and vanity case in the President 135-inch sedans and limousine. Folding ash receivers are recessed into the doors of five-passenger sedans, victorias and broughams.

Frame and chassis of the President Eight have been strengthened to compensate for the motor's increased power and speed. Larger brakes are fitted with an improved type of control for simplicity and permanence of adjustment. Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers, front and rear, and patented ball bearing spring shackles insure a new degree of riding comfort and roadability. Spring covers are fitted to prevent rust, maintain lubrication, and insure full spring flexibility. The ease of cam and lever steering action has been improved by lapping and chrome plating the steering knuckle pins.

Bore and stroke of the President motor remain 3½ by 4¾ inches. Piston displacement is 336 cubic inches.

Bore and stroke of the Commander Six motor are 3⅝ by 4¾ inches, giving piston displacement of 248 cubic inches.

Commander chassis design closely follows that of its runningmate, the President. Longer springs, lower center of gravity, and improved chassis balance have brought about greater riding ease and better roadability.

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Permit Sought To Tunnel Under Delaware River

PLANS have been filed with the United States War Department for construction of a vehicular tunnel under the Delaware River that is to connect the southern section of Philadelphia, Pa., with Gloucester City, N. J.

This tube will be about 6000 feet long and will be of the same type as the Holland tunnel under the Hudson.

The project is estimated to cost about $20,00,000 and, if undertaken as proposed, would be ready for traffic by 1933.

Car 37 Years Old Finishes 52-Mile Race

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contesting vehicles are still in daily use.

Gold medals were awarded to the owners of four automobiles, the performances of which, in the opinion of the judges, were the most meritorious, having regard to the age of the cars, their conformity to original design, and performances on the road as recorded by official observers.

Bronze medals were given to all other entrants whose vehicles completed the journey within six and a half hours.

The competing automobiles included a Panhard built in 1891; an 1895 Renault, fitted with a single cylinder engine, and a 33 years old Thornycroft, still used daily by a firm of estate agents. Others were the Daimler, in which the late King Edward "enjoyed" his first motor ride; an 1897 Benz, in its original condition; the 1897 Panhard, which finished third in a race from Paris to Amsterdam during 1898, the fourth four-cylinder car ever built, and a 1900 Benz, which is still fitted with the original sparking plug and driving tyres.

Speed Outstrips Reaction of Human Mind

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hour, which figures 352 feet a second, the "Golden Arrow," in which he will try for the record next year, will travel 211.7 feet between the time the driver decides to turn to one side and the first application of pressure to the steering wheel.

Added to that is at least 300 feet, which the machine probably would travel in a straight line after the steering wheel turned, before beginning to respond. Inspection of the "Mystery S" tracks in 1927 gave that figure. Sometimes, depending on the tractive qualities of the beach at that point, the distance was more.

The sum of the distances indicates that at four mile a minute instead of selecting nearby objects by which to gauge direction, the driver would have to pick out a point at least two city blocks ahead if the machine is even to begin turning by the time it is reached.

Bonus for Western Auto Supply Staff

Christmas bonus checks totaling $13,080 were distributed the past week among the 937 employes in the 54 stores operated throughout the country by the Western Auto Supply Co. Amounts were determined by the position and duration of employment with the company. The St. Louis store is located at 811 Washington avenue.

The company is closing a most successful year with the largest volume of sales ever made in the history of its business. Twenty-three new stores have been added to the chain during the current year and the company will continue its progressive expansion by opening additional stores as rapidly as new locations are available.

Pedestrians Act as Own Traffic Cops

A new form of crossing signal has been designed in Los Angeles, Cal., which allows pedestrians to cross streets while acting as their own traffic officers. A push button works the signal that stops traffic for 15 seconds, after which it automatically reverts to the "clear" position for 25 seconds.

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The new Ford taxicab body is attractive in appearance, provides ample room for four passengers, and is ruggedly built to withstand the rough usage to which cars in taxi service are subjected.

The driver's seat is separated from the passenger's compartment by a sheet-metal partition, the upper part of which is provided with windows of Triplex shatterproof glass. The same safety glass is also used in the windshield, the rear door windows and the rear quarter windows, affording passengers the protection of this safety feature.

The passenger compartment is trimmed in gray imitation leather with seat cushions and back upholstered with a gray velour. The wide, deeply cushioned seat will accommodate three passengers. Assist brackets are passenger conveniences. A folding auxiliary seat also is provided in an offset in the partition on the right side, and faces backward. It also is trimmed in gray velour.

The driver's compartment is upholstered in gray artificial leather, the seat and back cushions being finished in gray, shark grain, genuine leather, insuring long service. There is a space for luggage in the front compartment, to the right of the driver's seat.

A heavy, perforated rubber mat is used for the front floor covering and on the floor in the passenger compartment.

The roof covering on the cab is of double texture black artificial leather, the same as is used on all the Ford inclosed passenger cars.

The body is wired for installation of flicker lights on the front roof corners, and also for a 'vacant' light in the center of the roof at the front. A strong post to support taximeter is installed in the driver's compartment.

Santo O. Fiorita Made Manager of General Brake Corp.

At a banquet of employes on Christmas day, William Chaudet, president of General Brake Service Corporation, 2727 Locust boulevard, announced the appointment of Santo O. Fiorita, to be general manager of the firm. At the same time Chaudet told of the appointment of Harold Linnenbringer to be general superintendent, George Finkeldie, chief tester and assistant sales manager, and Launey New, general foreman.

W. A. Hoevel, Truck Man, With Federal

W. Alex. Hoevel, for the past 15 years identified with the motor truck industry in the St. Louis district, has joined the sales staff of Federal Motor Truck Sales Corporation, it was announced yesterday by Joseph Warner, manager of the firm's factory branch here.

Motor Cycle De Luxe.

A unique motor cycle has been designed in England which has all the comforts and conveniences of an automobile. The driver sits on an upholstered seat with a comfortable back. The machine is driven by a three-horsepower engine and can attain a speed of 60 miles an hour.

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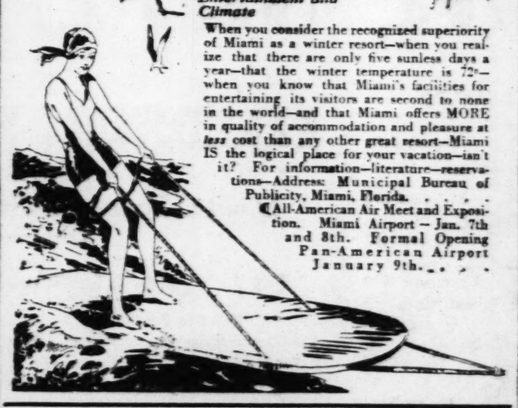
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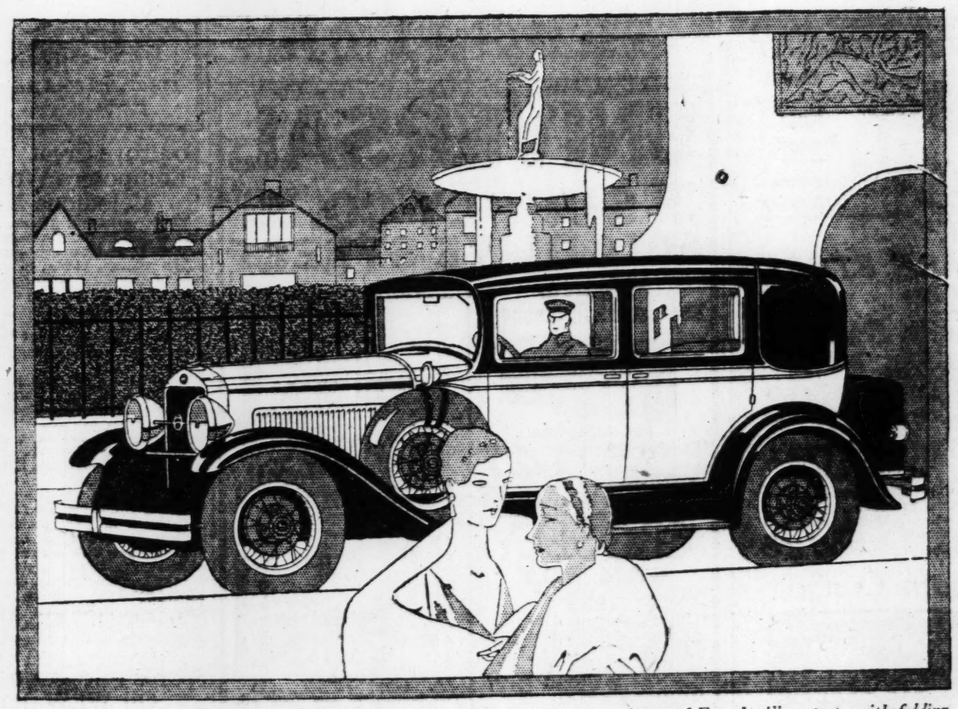
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NBC-Networks Include Total Of 58 Stations

With completion of a Denver-San Francisco circuit, and addition of WKY, Oklahoma City, the National Broadcasting Co. now has a permanent transcontinental broadcasting wire service and a total of 58 associated stations.

The first move toward establishing a permanent cross-country circuit was made when an Omaha-Denver link was completed on June 1 last. Work on the circuit from Denver to the Pacific Coast began more than a year ago.

Costing for maintenance $200,000 a year, the new permanent circuit puts KOA, Denver, and KSL, Salt Lake City, Utah, in the NBC networks and makes it possible to broadcast a program at short notice from stations strategically located throughout the country.

Amplifiers, or "repeater" points, in five states check the transmission of each program.

From Omaha the circuit goes to North Platte, thence to Rawlings, Wyo. Winnemucca, Nev., and Sacramento, Cal.

The NBC networks now include the following stations: WEAF, New York; WJZ, New York; KUD, St. Louis; KWK, St. Louis; WEEI, Boston; WBZA, Boston; WBZ, Springfield; WTIC, Hartford; WJAR, Providence; WTAG, Worcester; WCSH, Portland, Me.; WFI, Philadelphia; WLIT, Philadelphia; WRC, Washington; WBAL, Baltimore; WGY, Schenectady; WGR, Buffalo; WHAM, Rochester; WCAE, Pittsburg; KDKA, Pittsburg; WTAM, Cleveland; WEAR, Cleveland; WWJ, Detroit; WJR, Detroit; WLW, Cincinnati; WSAI, Cincinnati; WGN, Chicago; WLIB, Chicago; WENR, Chicago; WLS, Chicago; KYW, Chicago; KFKX, Chicago; WOC, Davenport; WHO, Des Moines; WOW, Omaha; WDAF, Kansas City; WREN, Kansas City; KSTP, Minneapolis; WTMJ, Milwaukee; KOA, Denver; WHAS, Louisville; WSM, Nashville; WMC, Memphis; WSB, Atlanta; WBT, Charlotte, N. C.; KVOO, Tulsa, Ok.; WFAA, Dallas; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WBAP, Fort Worth; WRVA, Richmond; WJAX, Jacksonville; KPO, San Francisco; KGO, Portland, Ore.; KFI, Los Angeles; KGW, Portland, Ore; KOMO, Seattle; KHQ, Spokane; WEBC, Superior; KSL, Salt Lake City, and WKY, Oklahoma City.

Where and When To Get Distant Stations

	Time (p.m.)	KC.
CFCA, Toronto	7:15 to 11:00	840
CKLC, Calgary	8:00 to 10:30	840
KDKA, Pittsburg	5:00 to 10:00	980
KFAE, Lincoln	6:00 to 10:00	770
KFI, Los Angeles	8:00 to 12:00	640
KGO, Oakland	8:30 to 11:30	780
KEX, Portland	8:00 to 12:00	1180
KHJ, Los Angeles	8:00 to 2:00am.	900
KNX, Hollywood	8:00 to 2 a.m.	1090
KMBC, Kansas City	6:00 to 10:00	950
KJR, Seattle	8:00 to 12:00	970
KHQ, Spokane	9:15 to 12:30	810
KOA, Denver	7:15 to 11:45	830
KPO, San Francisco	8:00 to 11:30	680
KSL, Salt Lake city	8:30 to 11:00	1130
KSTP, St. Paul	6:00 to 11:30	1460
KTHS, Hot Springs	6:00 to 10:00	800
KVOO, Oakland	7:00 to 10:00	1140
KWKH, Shreveport	6:00 to 12:00	850
KPRC, Houston	6:00 to 11:00	920
KYW, Chicago	6:00 to 11:00	1020
PWX, Havana	6:00 to 10:00	730
WABC, New York	6:00 to 11:30	860
WBAL, Baltimore	6:00 to 10:00	1060
WBBM, Chicago	6:30 to 1:00am	770
WFAB, New York	6:00 to 11:00	800
WBAW-WLAC, Nashville	6:00 to 10:30	1490
WCAE, Pittsburg	6:00 to 11:00	1170
WCCO, Minneapolis	5:00 to 12:00	810
WDAF, Kansas City	5:00 to 10:00	610
WEAF, New York	5:00 to 11:00	660
WFAA, Dallas	6:00 to 11:00	1480
WGN, Chicago	6:00 to 12:00	720
WGY, Schenectady	6:00 to 11:00	790
WHAM, Rochester	6:00 to 9:30	1150
WHMJ, Milwaukee	6:00 to 10:00	620
WHAS, Louisville	5:00 to 10:15	820
WHO, Des Moines	6:00 to 11:00	1000
WHT, Chicago	6:00 to 12:00	1180
WJAV, Mount Vernon	6:00 to 9:30	1460
WJZ, New York	6:00 to 11:00	760
WJR, Pontiac	6:00 to 10:00	750
WLW, Cincinnati	6:00 to 10:30	700
WLS-WENR, Chicago	6:30 to 11:00	870
WKY, Oklahoma	6:00 to 11:00	900
WMAQ, Chicago	5:00 to 11:00	670
WMC, Memphis	5:30 to 9:00	780
WOAI, San Antonio	6:00 to 10:00	1190
WOC, Davenport	7:00 to 10:00	1090
WOR, Newark	6:00 to 11:00	710
WOW, Omaha	6:00 to 11:00	590
WOWO, Ft. Wayne	7:00 to 10:00	1160
WPG, Atlantic City	6:00 to 10:00	1100
WRVA, Richmond	6:00 to 10:00	1110
WSB, Atlanta	6:00 to 10:30	740
WSM, Nashville	5:00 to 10:00	650
WWJ, Detroit	5:00 to 11:00	920

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Theater Stars To Play in New Majestic Hour

Eddie Cantor, Julius Tannen and Ruth Etting will begin a new series of "Majestic Theater of the Air" performances, over 43 stations associated with the Columbia Broadcasting System, at 8 o'clock next Sunday night.

A 52-week contract has been executed between the chain and the Grigsby-Grunow Co., sponsor of the program, which will succeed the series in which Moran and Mack appeared as "Majestic's Two Black Crows."

A number of operatic and dramatic stars have already been engaged for the new Majestic hour.

Eddie Cantor and Julius Tannen have been amusing theater audiences the past season, Tannen in the late revue, "Americana," and Eddie Cantor in the hit of the moment, "Whoopee." Tannen probably is best known for his role in the past of Master of Ceremonies at the "Vanities", and Cantor has long been the factor in the Ziegfeld Follies.

Ruth Etting has had a dramatic career in every sense of the word. Enrolled as an art student in the Academy of Fine Arts in Chicago, she was one of a group of girls called for the chorus of a musical revue. One of the leads of the show becoming ill, Miss Etting took her part and made a success which put her well on the way to stardom. Last year she was featured in the Ziegfeld Follies, and at present is a star in "Whoopee" with Cantor.

WLW Now Goes on Air at 5:30 A. M.

With a musical program called "Top o' the Morning," WLW is going on the air at 5:30 a.m., St. Louis time.

From 6:30 to 7 a. m., an orchestra plays lively popular music, filling in the time until the setting up exercises begin.

WLW now broadcasts a total of 114 hours and 35 minutes a week.

WLW Has New Announcers.

Norman Sweet, former chief announcer at WHAS, Louisville, and Robert Brown, formerly of WGR, Buffalo, have joined the staff of WLW, Cincinnati.

NOTED PAIR ON KMOX



FORD and GLENN,

Widely known to listeners as "The Lullaby Boys" through their broadcasting over WLS, Chicago. They are to give their singing and talking act over KMOX next Friday and Saturday. Their partnership began years ago in St. Louis, their home, where they met as employes of a music house.

Chilean Station in Jumble With 5SW

Owners of short wave sets have been complaining that some station interferes with broadcasts from 2LO, London, through 5SW, at Chelmsford, England.

The Federal Radio Commission states that the interference probably is caused by a new telegraph station in Chile which generally operates between 4 and 6 p. m., St. Louis time, when reception from 5SW should be best. The commission has taken the matter up with the State Department with a view to having representations made to Chile.

Columbia Chain Planning WABC Power Increase

A country-wide network of 49 stations, and purchase of WABC, New York, to be the principal key station, have been approved by the board of directors of the Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc., which takes the place of the Columbia Broadcasting System and its owner, the United Independent Broadcasters, Inc.

William S. Paley, recently elected president of the United Independent Broadcasters, Inc., becomes president of the new concern. Maj. Andrew J. White, who was president of the Columbia System, becomes managing director.

It was decided to increase the power of WABC, which now has a 5000 watt transmitter on Long Island, near New York City.

Possession of WABC is to be taken next month, but the station will not become the sole key station of the Columbia chain until September, because of contracts whereby WOR, Newark, N. J., is to continue to act as a part time key station until then.

As has been told, 22 stations in the South, Southwest and Far West are to be added to the 27 already in the Columbia chain on Jan. 8, when an elaborate special program is to be broadcast from coast to coast.

Broadcast Friday For Hudson-Essex

A country-wide chain is to be used next Friday night at 9 o'clock to broadcast a program to be known as the Hudson-Essex Challengers. WJZ will be the key station, and KWK probably will be in the hookup.

Jerome Kern, the composer responsible for "Show Boat," is to furnish the entertainment and take part in this first production, his operetta, "Lamplight," being featured as well as selections from "Show Boat." Josef Pasternack will conduct the orchestra.

Dan Gridley, tenor; Walter Preston, bazitone, and Muriel Wilson, soprano, all NBC stars, also are to take part in the program. W. J. McAneeny, vice president of the Hudson Motor Car Co., is to speak.

KSD Feature Off Air Dec. 31.

The Howard time announcement, which has been a regular feature from KSD, is to be discontinued after Dec. 31.

KSD PROGRAM WEEK OF DEC. 30

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME—550 Kilocycles

Daily 9:40, 10:40, 11:40 A. M.; 12:40, 1:40 and 3:40 P. M. Market Quotations, Weather Reports and News Bulletins.

Sunday, December 30

12:30 P. M.—Peerless Reproducer Hour.
1:00 P. M.—Biblical Drama.
4:30 P. M.—"Twilight Voices."
5:00 P. M.—Stetson Shoe Parade.
5:30 P. M.—Acousticon Hour.
6:00 P. M.—The Chicago Symphoney Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Capitol Theater program by Major Bowes and the Capitol Family.
8:00 P. M.—"Our Government," by David Lawrence.
8:15 P. M.—Atwater Kent Radio Hour.

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7:00 P. M.—To be announced.
7:30 P. M.—Prophylactic Hour.
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10:00 P. M.—Hotel Manger Orchestra.

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9:45 A. M.—Hands of History.
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11:45 A. M.—Hotel Pennsylvania Luncheon Music.
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7:30 P. M.—Hoover Sentinels.
8:00 P. M.—Seiberling Singers.
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Sequoia and General Grant National Parks, which with Yosemite are located in California, offer inviting opportunities for enjoyment of cold weather sports. Informal accommodations for winter outdoor enthusiasts are available in the former. The third annual celebration of the Nation's Christmas Tree last year in General Grant Park drew over a thousand visitors and interesting plans are now being made for the 1929 celebration.

Mount Rainier National Park, in Washington, has had a regular winter sport season for several years. Snow plows keep the road open between the park entrance and Longmire Springs and parking areas are also kept clear. Full winter service is rendered by the public utility operators at Longmire Springs and also at Paradise Valley, which can be reached by trail from Longmire. Among winter attractions in this park are an Alaskan dogteam consisting of 13 huskies driven by an Eskimo and a toboggan with a runway a quarter-mile in length.

Rocky Mountain National Park, near Denver, offers opportunities for winter sports and for the past [illegible] years the Colorado Mountain Club has held its annual winter outing there. Estes Park, the eastern park entrance, is also the scene of a ski tournament each year.

Zion National Park in Utah, although in the past affording no [illegible] living accommodations between Oct. 15 and May 15, has been open to those carrying their own camping equipment and supplies. It is planned soon to furnish tourist accommodations at Zion throughout the year. Lafayette, the only eastern national park, is available during winter to visitors wishing to enjoy snow and ice sports within its confines.

Several of the Southwestern national monuments are also open to travel during the winter.

Expanded Plants to Build New Pontiac

PONTIAC, Mich., Dec. 29.—Many style innovations in the new Pontiac six, to be introduced Jan. 7, as well as expanded body plant facilities to meet the demand for the 1929 line, were announced here today by the Oakland Motor Car Co.

The Fisher Body Corporation plant here has been enlarged by a $2,000,000 development now virtually completed and ready for production on the new Pontiac six body types.

Expansion projects include a new stamping plant to turn out metal parts used in the composite steel and wood construction of Fisher bodies, enlargement of the power plant and construction of a storage building to make for more extended body assembly operations. In view of these changes, Fisher officials estimate that next year the plant will have a capacity of 1500 bodies a day.

Stepping up of the Fisher body plant capacity parallels expansion projects also under way at the modern Oakland-Pontiac plant, which in 1929 will have a peak volume of more than 250,000 cars as against an estimated output this year of 265,000 units.

Air-Cooled Motors Gain in Popularity

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RCA 25 Superhetrodyne 6-Tube Console; $160 Value	29.00
Freshman Console 6-Tube; $60 Value	29.50
Freshman Console 5-Tube; $50 Value	20.95
Atwater Kent Table Model 6-Tube; $49 Value	22.95
Crosley Table Model 6-Tube; $45 Value	23.95
Freshman Table Model 5-Tube; $35 Value	10.95
Freshman 6 Tube Table Model; $45 Value	17.50
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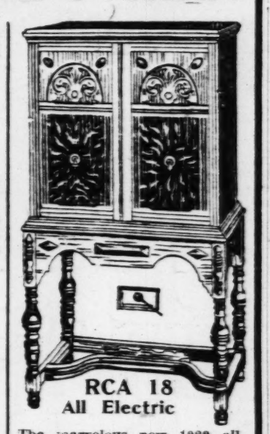
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Songs by the International Singers, and flute, cello, violin and trombone solos, with orchestral accompaniments by the Eveready Orchestra, will be heard. Jacob Zayde will play the violin, Abrasha Borodkin the cello and Ellis McDiarmid the flute, and Charles Campbell the trombone. The Eveready Orchestra and two pianists, Milton Rettenberg and Jack Shilkret, brother of Nathaniel Shilkret, will play a collection of little waltzes by Schubert, grouped under the heading "Vienna Soiree."

In addition, melodies by Thomas, Saint Saens, Schumann, Rameau, Handel, Bach, Beethoven, Morley, Mendelssohn and Liszt will be played and sung.

Spanish Program On WLW Jan. 8

Announcements will be made in Spanish and English in a program to be broadcast by WLW, Cincinnati, for Cuban and Mexican listeners on Tuesday, Jan. 8, from 9 to 10 p. m.

Songs of the Argentine gaucho, or cowboy, will be sung by Octavio Bermudez, an Argentinan, who several other times at station WLW has interpreted the music of the pampas. Accompanying himself on the guitar, he will sing "Triste," a song of sadness; "Despertar," which he says is the Argentine equivalent of "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise," and "Patotero," a sentimental tango.

Football Broadcast Tuesday Over KWK

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WOC-WHO Time Division.

By the Associated Press.

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Soloists are to be: Gladys Rice, soprano; Adelaide de Loca, mezzo soprano; Harold van Duzee, tenor, and Douglas Stanbury, baritone.

Trade Notes

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29.—The National Park Service of the Department of the Interior announces that more than half of the national parks are to remain open this winter. There has been a steady growth in the winter use of parks during the past half dozen years, which last year culminated in the heaviest travel yet experienced, and this year even greater numbers are expected.

Several of the parks because of their mild climate draw travelers throughout the year. Included in this class are the Hawaii National Park, in the semitropical Hawaiian Islands; the south rim of the Grand Canyon, where light snow flurries sometimes occur in the winter but never enough to prevent mule-back trips into the canyon depths where one may camp out throughout the year, and Hot Springs and Platt, located in Arkansas and Oklahoma, respectively.

Others of the parks offer ideal conditions for the enjoyment of winter sports. Yosemite Valley, in Yosemite National Park, is quite warm on its sunny side, but in the shadow of its high cliffs snow and ice sports may be enjoyed. Skating, snow-shoeing, skiing, tobogganing and sleigh riding are among the diversions offered here. At present negotiations are in progress toward securing for Yosemite Park the winter sports events of the Olympiad, to be held in Los Angeles in 1932. At Glacier Point, where a hotel overlooks the valley, conditions are excellent for sports of this nature.

Sequoia and General Grant National Parks, which with Yosemite are located in California, offer inviting opportunities for enjoyment of cold weather sports. Informal accommodations for winter outdoor enthusiasts are available in the former. The third annual celebration of the Nation's Christmas Tree last year in General Grant Park drew over a thousand visitors and interesting plans are now being made for the 1928 celebration.

Mount Rainier National Park, in Washington, has had a regular winter sport season for several years. Show plows keep the road open between the park entrance and Longmire Springs and parking areas are also kept clear. Full winter service is rendered by the public utility operators at Longmire Springs and also at Paradise Valley, which can be reached by trail from Longmire. Among winter attractions in this park are an Alaskan dogteam consisting of 13 huskies driven by an Eskimo and a toboggan with a runway a quarter-mile in length.

Rocky Mountain National Park, near Denver, offers opportunities for winter sports and for the past 2 years the Colorado Mountain Club has held its annual winter outing there. Estes Park, the eastern park entrance, is also the scene of a ski tournament each year.

Zion National Park in Utah, although in the past affording no living accommodations between Oct. 15 and May 15, has been open to those carrying their own camping equipment and supplies. It is planned soon to furnish tourist accommodations at Zion throughout the year. Lafayette, the only eastern national park, is available during winter to visitors wishing to enjoy snow and ice sports within its confines.

Several of the Southwestern national monuments are also open to travel during the winter.

Expanded Plants to Build New Pontiac

PONTIAC, Mich., Dec. 29.—Many style innovations in the new Pontiac six, to be introduced Jan. 1, as well as expanded body plant facilities to meet the demand for the 1929 line, were announced here today by the Oakland Motor Car Co.

The Fisher Body Corporation plant here has been enlarged by a $2,000,000 development now virtually completed and ready for production on the new Pontiac six body types.

Expansion projects include a new stamping plant to turn out metal parts used in the composite steel and wood construction of Fisher bodies, enlargement of the power plant and construction of a storage building to make for more extended body assembly operations. In view of these changes, Fisher officials estimate that next year the plant will have a capacity of 1500 bodies a day.

Stepping up of the Fisher body plant capacity parallels expansion projects also under way at the modern Oakland-Pontiac plant, which in 1929 will have a peak volume of more than 350,000 cars as against an estimated output this year of 265,000 units.

Air-Cooled Motors Gain in Popularity

A decided and continued trend on the part of motor car buyers in the quality class toward the air-cooled type of automobile is shown in a survey recently made by the Franklin Automobile Co. of Syracuse, N. Y., through its distributer and dealer organization.

The Franklin organization reports that the proportionate increase in sales of Franklin air-cooled cars to former owners of another type of engine was greater in the three months ending Oct. 1, than for the entire 12 months of 1927.

Oil-less Motor Auto Arrives From Boston

A 1919 model automobile, which already has been driven more than 130,700 miles, arrived in St. Louis this morning on a trans-continental trip from Boston to Los Angeles.

Although the Williams Alloy Products Co. of Elyria, O., sponsors of the run are calling Boston the start of the trip, the car started out of Detroit and came through to Boston. The most remarkable feature of this trip is that all through the 137,000 miles the automobile has been driven, it has never had any oil in the crankcase. Instead, water is used for lubrication.

So far, the only difficulty encountered on the trip is the reluctance of filling station attendants to fill the crankcase with water, in the belief that it will ruin the engine.

Although it is not the idea to replace oil with water, this demonstration is being made to show what Bearingoy bearings, insulated head pistons and Pistonoy piston rings will do when it comes to reducing friction and dissipating heat in the motor.

Under conditions of perfect lubrication there would be no bearing trouble, regardless of the bearing metal used, but inasmuch as perfect lubrication does not prevail, the bearing metal that will operate under conditions of poorest lubrication offers the highest factor of safety for economical operation.

Bearingoy metal was developed for general industrial use to meet these conditions, to stand up under inadequate lubrication and to dissipate heat—without cutting, scoring or sticking to the shaft, should lubrication fail entirely.

The first oil-less motor, a 1919 model stock car, is in charge of H. Edward Linden, who is calling on the Essmueller Moll Furnishing Co., St. Louis distributors.

Federal-Aid Roads Cost U. S. $3.10 a Car

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—An average of $3.10 per automobile was expended by the Federal Government in the United States during 1928 on its Federal-aid highway program, according to data compiled by the American Motorists' Association.

The per capita amount that the Federal Government is contributing towards the construction of the 187,000-mile program of Federal-aid highway is decreasing each year, the figures indicate.

The peak of Federal aid was in 1920 when the Federal Government expended an average of $10.29 for each automobile in the country. During that year the Government expended $95,000,000 on its highway construction program. In 1921 the Federal appropriation for Federal aid was $100,000,000, but the amount of expenditure per vehicle was $9.55.

Automobile Thieves Shun De Soto Cars

On the instrument panel of every De Soto six is a Fedco plate bearing a serial number in code. This plate is so designed that the numbers cannot be changed or removed without defacing the plate in a noticeable manner and removal of the plate is easily detected.

Police officials throughout the United States and Canada are familiar with the Fedco system and when they detect a car on which the plate is defaced or missing they can assume that it has been stolen and investigate its ownership. In addition every theft of a Fedco protected car reported to the Burns Agency is investigated by their operatives.

Tire Firm Staff Holds Banquet

The eleventh annual banquet of employes of the Merchants' Tire Co., 2710 Washington avenue, was held the past Thursday evening at the American Hotel Annex. H. B. White, president and general manager, presided.

L. F. Desmond of Chicago, district representative of the Dunlop Tire & Rubber Co. was present as guest.

Highway Signs Standardized In 28 States

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and Colorado have marked 50 to 75 per cent. Tennessee and Florida have erected caution signs only. Alabama and Washington have awarded contracts for erection of route markers. Texas expects to begin marking the roads in January, and Montana will begin in the spring of 1929.

United States Route No. 1, from Fort Kent, Me., to Miami, Fla., is marked virtually the entire way, except through New Jersey and Florida. Route 41, from Marquette, Mich., on Lake Superior, to Naples, on the west coast of Florida, is marked for the entire distance, except for some breaks in Kentucky, and through Tennessee and Florida.

Two parallel routes, No. 51, from Hurley, Wis., to New Orleans, La., and No. 61, from the Canadian border, near Pigeon Point—the northeastern point of Minnesota—on Lake Superior, to New Orleans, are marked for practically the entire way, except No. 51 through Tennessee.

The 28 states which have completed marking the system are:

Arizona, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

SOUTH CHINA TRIES TO CURB FOREIGN INSURANCE FIRMS

Local Concerns Also Affected by Ruling in Course of Campaign Against Outsiders.

By the Associated Press.

CANTON, Dec. 29.—The South China Government, in theory under Nanking but virtually independent, has declared its own war on the privileged position enjoyed by foreigners for 75 years.

Foreign business interests here, operating since their inception without regulation or supervision by the Chinese authorities, now have become one of the principal objects over which the Government would extend its influence and the Government in this direction is aimed at the insurance companies, control. The most recent move of both Chinese and foreign.

In an order directed ot more than 40 of these firms, the authorities announced that each would be required to establish security deposits in the Chinese Government bank amounting to $25,000 for each firm, pay annual taxes computed on the capitalization of the various concerns, open their books to Government inspectors, and buy yearly licenses costing several thousand dollars for each agency.

The proposed action has met with stiff opposition on the part of the insurance companies, especially the foreign agencies. As a result the foreign Consular officials here have protested to the Chinese that such actions as they propose to take is rightfully the responsibility of the National Government, and that as long as the Nanking authorities profess to be the central government of China and Canton recognizes it as such, even though in theory only, the latter should be the one to establish any such regulations as proposed here.

TO TRAIN NICARAGUAN GUARD

U. S. Marine Officer Completes Plans for Permanent Force.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 29.—Plans have been completed by Brigadier-General Elias R. Beadle (Lieutenant-Colonel United States Marine Corps), head of the Guardia Nacional, for the establishment of a military academy in Managua to train Nicaraguans as officers of the Guardia, which is eventully to form the defense force of the country.

Jan. 1 notice is to be sent out announcing the opening of this military school, under the supervision of United States marine officers, who are to be selected as instructors. In the beginning 20 enlisted men from the Guardia will be chosen as cadets by competitive examination.

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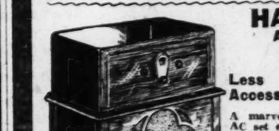
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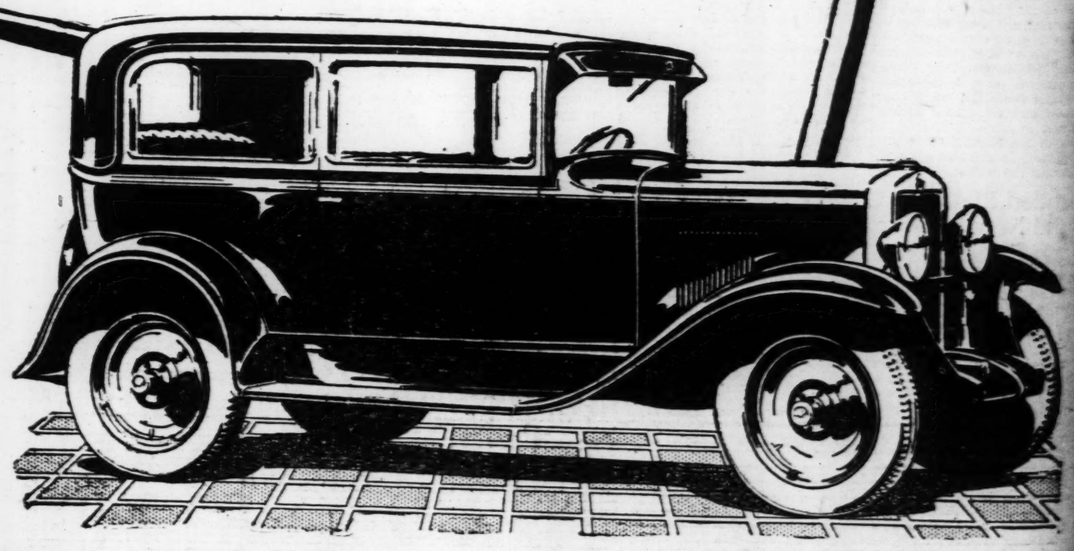
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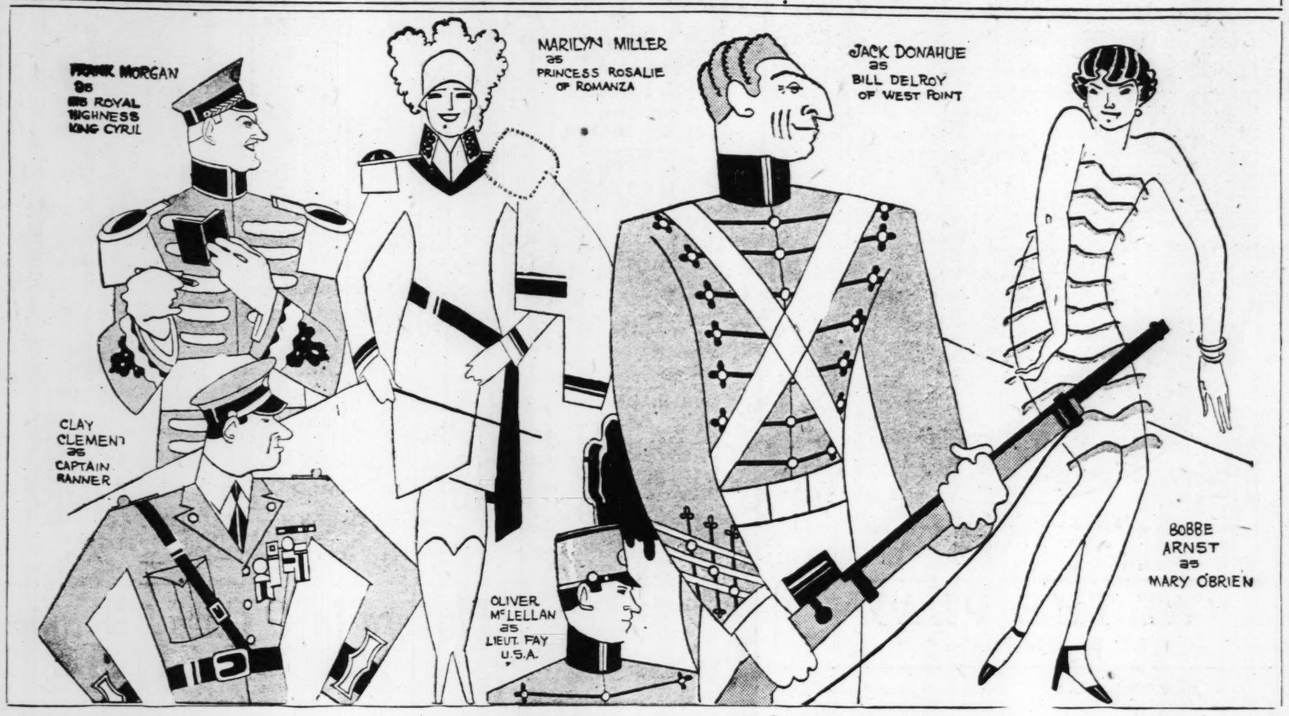
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Rosalie Comes to Town With Her Songs and Dances



What Manner of Man *Is* This Edgar Wallace?

Several times lately reference has been made on this page in the news from New York to Edgar Wallace, the English writer of plays and books who has turned out 140 novels since the war and 20 plays in the last three years. Here is something about the man and his various activities.

VOYAGERS returning from England have often wondered why the most popular figure on London's Broadway was unknown at Times Square. The man is Edgar Wallace and no other living writer, including the novelists and playwrights, has achieved the popularity which he enjoys in the British Isles. His picture is as well known there as Babe Ruth's is here, his name appears wherever there is sufficient space to paint it. The busses have Edgar Wallace banners, the street cars Edgar Wallace signs, there are placards in all the club rooms and it is difficult to pick up a magazine without finding an article by him. If there is not, there is sure to be an article about him. If you choose to attend the theater, it is more than probable that you will select one of his plays (you may even go to one of his playhouses). At the present time he has six shows doing a capacity business in London.

He is one of the most prolific writers of all times. To date, and he has only been earnest in his literary efforts since the war, there have been published over 140 of his novels and of these more than 5,000,000 copies are sold annually in the British Isles alone. He has written 20 plays in the last three years—all have been successful—and yet "Sign of the Leopard," which opened at the National Theater last week, is his first appearance on Broadway. Evidently the world is not as small as is claimed.

THERE has been a definite reason for his nonappearance before this in America. His first play was produced in London by the late Frank Curzon. When Edgar Wallace learned that the producer had cleared $100,000 from the play while he, the author, had only made $30,000, he decided to become both playwright and producer. Nothing like keeping all the eggs in one basket. And he has clung to this policy, with the success which accompanies every Edgar Wallace enterprise. He has planned, on several occasions, to come to this country, but there have been disturbing elements, and the name of Edgar Wallace has not blazed forth in American mazdas. It was only when the Messrs. Shubert suggested that he be associated with them as co-producer that he consented to a Broadway showing of "Sign of the Leopard," a drama which under the title of "The Squeaker" has been a leading London hit for more than six months.

His novels and plays, numerous as they are, constitute only a portion of his literary efforts. He is a steady contributor to the magazines — over 40 articles appearing last year. As a daily stunt he writes a column of theatrical criticism. And that is not all. The man has a hobby—the race track—and it consumes the greater portion of his time. This may account for his having written only seven plays during 1927. He publishes his own tipster, and any day, above the din of London's traffic, you may hear the boys yelling "Edgar Wallace on racing."

OWING to his engaging personality and remarkable prolificness there have been so many stories told of him that it is difficult to gauge the actual personality. He is the most sought after of the after-dinner speakers, he is the most prominent man in racing circles, he is an outstanding figure in London theatrical life. He appears to have plenty of time for what interests him. He is out every evening, and still his novels and plays appear at frequent and regular intervals.

In London they will tell you that he writes a novel over the week-end—from their tone you are asked to believe that this is a weekly occurrence. The plays must be written on rainy afternoons when he does not attend the races. The magazine articles must be dictated during meals (the man must eat), between mouthfuls. It is still a mystery when he finds time to write his daily newspaper column. And the man is not a stay-at-home. He has a vast number of friends and is forever on the go.

The stories told about him are as numerous as Ford jokes. Punch rarely goes to press without a cartoon or a quip about him. One of their latest was a theatrical prophecy of the future, in which it was bemoaned that "there were to be only six Edgar Wallace openings during the coming week."

Hugh Walpole in a letter said, "We have at the moment in England only two universally known men of letters. One of them is, of course, George Bernard Shaw. The other is Edgar Wallace, and I fancy that his name, familiar now in the ears of every little English child, has not penetrated the American continent. If it has not done so, it very shortly will."

His prophecy is coming true. New York had its first taste of Wallace when "Sign of the Leopard" opened recently at the National Theater.

"Good News" Matinee For Actors' Benefit

Next Friday afternoon at the Shubert Theater the extraordinary successful musical comedy hit, "Good News," will be played for the benefit of the Actors' Fund of America, the theatrical charity, of which Daniel Frohman is the head.

It is a good many years since an Actors' Fund benefit has been given in St. Louis, and there is little doubt that the house will be crowded.

Schwab & Mandel and the Shuberts, together with the members of the "Good News" company, are making a donation of the net receipts, and as this week will see the end of the St. Louis engagement, this special performance gives an added opportunity of seeing the rollicking "Good News" and help the Actors' Fund at the same time.

The prices for the matinee will be the same as prevail at the matinee on Wednesday.

Amusement Calendar

AMERICAN—The musical comedy "Rosalie," with Marilyn Miller and Jack Donahue. Starting tomorrow night.

SHUBERT—Second week, starting tonight, of the musical comedy "Good News."

LOEW'S—Lon Chaney in "West of Zanzibar." Talking and singing pictures on the sound screen.

AMBASSADOR—"Interference," Paramount's first all-talking picture, with Clive Brook, Doris Kenyon, Evelyn Brent and William Powell. On the stage Ed Lowry in "Makin' Whoopee."

MISSOURI—The part-talking picture "The Little Wildcat," with Audrey Ferris. On the stage Eddie Peabody in "Banjoys." Also a Paramount talking sketch, with Eddie Cantor and Bobbie Arnst.

ST. LOUIS—Trixie Friganza in her "Bag o' Trix." William Morris and Family in a playlet, Gamble Boys and Violet Bache in a dancing and musical revue, the Uessems in a novelty bit and one other act. On the screen "Ned McCob's Daughter," with Irene Rich, George Armstrong and Theodore Roberts.

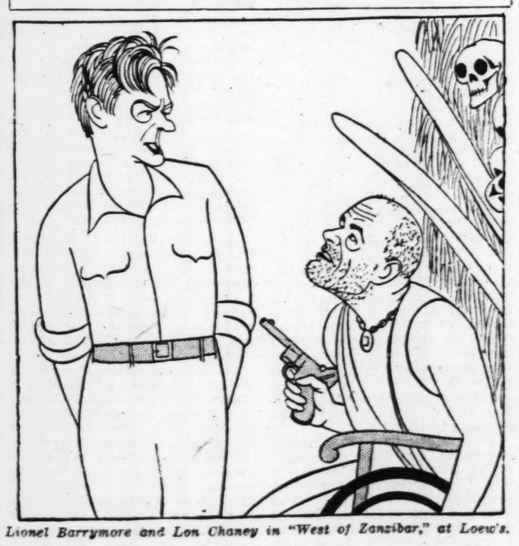
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Billy Chase and Violet La Tour and company in a comedy love skit, six other acts, and "Hell Ship Bronson," a photoplay with Noah Beery and Mrs. Wallace Reid.

GRAND CENTRAL—Second week of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in sound.

MIDTOWN—Seventh week of Al Jolson in "The Singing Fool."

GARRICK—Mutual Circuit Burlesque, "Kuddling Kuties."

A Tough Country



Lionel Barrymore and Lon Chaney in "West of Zanzibar," at Loew's.

Year in the Theater *Marked by* "Strange Interlude"

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

IN any appraisal of the year 1928 in the New York theater, Eugene O'Neill's "Strange Interlude" belongs near the top.

The calendar year was young when it was brought to Broadway last January by the Theater Guild. It was undertaken with little precedent to go by, for it upset many traditions of the theater. It began at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon and occupied more than four hours of action—the longest play ever submitted by an American playwright. It strove to plumb a new dimension in drama by making audible the thoughts of its players in asides as voluminous as the stage dialogue itself.

Any belief that its appeal would rest upon its novelty has been dispelled, for it continue to gain momentum in New York and is being received by audiences in other cities and other countries with enthusiasm. Critics have agreed with unusual unanimity that it is a landmark in the American theater—perhaps the finest play ever written by a native author and quite possibly one to be revived for future generations.

Whether or not these enthusiastic plaudits are borne out, the play takes major rank among its contemporaries because it was awarded the Pulitzer prize, it has been the year's outstanding dramatic success, and O'Neill himself regards it as his greatest work.

SIMILARLY fraught with potentialities to influence the stage were two other plays: "Machinal," written by Sophie Treadwell and produced by Arthur Hopkins, and "Mima". David Belasco's adaptation of "The Red Mill," by Ferenc Molnar. "Machinal" was a financial failure, but its presentation of a simple and direct tragedy in a succession of episodes before an unchanging background may prove to have been a step toward simpler methods of production.

An office became a living room merely by substitution of chairs and divans for desks and adding machines, and although this particular play did not achieve economies by its stage technique, it pointed a possible way to do so. Every producer is agreed that present production costs threaten to outstrip the prices playgoers may be expected to pay for seats.

Belasco's "Mima," however, was just in the opposite direction—an effort to mount a dramatic production on the grandest scale ever attempted. Belasco went farther than he or his colleagues have gone in making the auditorium a part of the stage, and he brought scenery, effects, and even the actors into the body of the theater, complementing stage settings of unusual massiveness and detail.

SEVERAL plays were regarded as significant steps forward by American playwrights. Philip Barry's "Holiday," twitting the very rich for amassing money beyond their needs, was a satiric comedy acclaimed by one commentator as the best American achievement in high comedy. Bartlett Cormack's "The Racket," analyzed, with sincere effort at accuracy, the relations between criminals and the law. "Front Page," by Ben Hecht and Charles MacArthur framed a cometic melodrama against a newspaper background. And in "Marco's Millions" O'Neill scored again with a satire on wealth which would have called forth more comment had it not been overshadowed by his own "Strange Interlude."

Playwrights of remoter days were represented by more than the usual quota of revivals, including Ibsen's "The Wild Duck," with Blanche Yurka in the leading role; George Tyler's production of "Macbeth," with sets designed by Gordon Craig, and "Maj. Barbara," Shaw's 20-year-old play brought hither by the Theater Guild.

IN the field of musical comedy the most prolific of the producers was Florenz Ziegfeld, who did something no colleague or predecessor had ever done when he sponsored four $200,000 extravaganzas in a year—and not a Follies among them! Chiefest of them was "Show Boat," regarded widely as the acme of American light opera of this generation.

Will Rogers came back to Broadway and found himself a hit as Fred Stone's proxy in "Three Cheers;" Earl Carroll returned to production of his Vanities; George White repeated his successful "Scandals," and most of the rest of the familiar faces were to be found, though there were few new ones.

Perhaps the most unexpected of the successful newcomers was "Blackbirds," a Negro revue sponsored by Lew Leslie and featured by the tap-dancing of Bill Robinson. Starting unostentatiously, it gained impetus until it is outrunning any Negro musical production in Broadway's history. Nor were there many revues which rivaled in popularity an unpretentious but witty offering imported from London, "This Year of Grace," with Beatrice Lillie and Noel Coward as its principal performers.

The Year in the Movies

The Student Prince Was Probably the Best Cinema Offering of the Entire Season—The Future of the Talking Films and the Outlook for the More Basically Sound Silent Drama—Some Hollywood Comebacks.

BY NIE.

SELECTING the ten best pictures of the year, an annual pastime at this season is not an exceedingly difficult task just now for, from time to time during the twelve months just past the writer made a notation of the pictures considered worthy of being classed among the best when the season should end. In checking up this list there were just ten pictures on it. And these ten seem to be easily the outstanding ones in the year which saw more above the average films than usual. The ten, which appealed most to the captious critic are given, with no attempt to place them in the order of their merit, in the accompanying box.

As usual the larger producing companies, with one exception, turned out the best pictures. Fox, with several fine ones, according to report, got no chance to make a showing here for the reason that his company has saved up his bigger successes to be shown in his new theater when it opens the latter part of next month. "Street Angel," a Fox picture, will, according to all reports, be put upon the lists of other viewers of films throughout the country but it has not been exhibited in St. Louis.

Ten Best Films Of the Year

Harold Teen.
The Last Command.
The Patriot.
Lonesome.
Sorrell and Son.
The Student Prince.
The Tempest.
The Wedding March.
Wheel of Chance.
White Shadows in the South Seas.

Paramount leads the list of ten with three films, Last Command, The Patriot and the Wedding March. The first two of these were both Emil Jannings pictures. United Artists had two with Sorrell and Son and The Tempest; First National two with Wheel of Chance and Harold Teen and Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer the same number in The Student Prince and White Shadows in the South Seas. The smaller company to slip into the list was Universal with the fine little story, Lonesome.

If asked to name the very best one of the ten most picture fans would probably pick The Student Prince, and they would, quite likely, be right in their choice.

THE past year has been notable for the introduction of the talking pictures which have swept the theater managers and the producers off their feet. The customers have not been so enthusiastic but for a time, at least, they are going to be fed little else than the jabbering gelatines. After the stunt ballyhoo wears off however, the silent pictures seem likely to come back into their own. There will be fully synchronized musical accompaniments and some sound effects with most of them to be sure but so far nothing has been shown which would justify the belief that all-talkies will be in complete command of the cinema palaces. The continuous talking from the screen of necessity slows up the action of the picture, cuts down the possibility of magnificent scenic effects and makes what you see run a rather poor second to what you hear. Hollywood magnates to the contrary notwithstanding the picture will always be the basis of picture entertainment and a fine picture will not need a steady flow of dialogue to keep up the interest.

At the moment the talkies are a novelty and the digging up of old stage plays to be remade into conversational pictures is a stunt which brings dollars into the box office but when this novelty wears off or until several thousand new and skillful playwrights are created from somewhere the silent picture will be the best form of entertainment for the masses.

There is the certainty, however, that sooner or later, the way will be found to broadcast, from some central stage, a complete play sending out to theaters throughout the country a drama in action with the talk as well. When that time comes the picture entertainment will be something else again but just now that need not concern the exhibitors or the fans.

NINETEEN hundred and twenty-eight has turned out to be a rather rocky year for some people accustomed to sitting on top of the cinema world. On the other hand, some who a year ago were classed among the has-beens of the movies have come back to a new prominence that seems to be strengthened, rather than threatened, by the talking picture turmoil in the industry.

Outstanding examples are Betty Compson and Bessie Love. Ten years ago both were riding a flood tide of film popularity. A year ago both were looking for work along "Poverty Row," where producers of inexpensive pictures save money by using stars whose glory has faded.

Then Betty Compson was given a chance to play opposite Milton Sills in "The Barker." Her work in this picture looked so startling to producers when it was previewed some months ago that since then several of the big companies have featured her in films such as "Docks of New York" and "The Big City."

Meanwhile it was decided to make a talking version of "The Barker," which might have spoiled everything for Betty. As it turned out, however, her talking role excited even more favorable comment than her silent screen characterization. As a result she is rated as one of that small and select company of once-silent film stars who sound thoroughly at home in the talkies.

BESSIE LOVE'S comeback has been even more spectacular. She was having so little success in pictures last spring that she tried the stage, and just a few months ago was singing and dancing in a Los Angeles picture theater. Her singing and dancing (not her previous fame in films) got her the featured feminine role in "Broadway Melody" just as she was planning to leave Hollywood for a vaudeville tour of Australia. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer executives took one look at her work in this singing-talking picture and signed her on a long-term contract.

The amusing thing about producers' sudden appreciation of the singing-talking talents of Bessie Love is that the girl learned all she knows about singing and dancing and playing the ukulele in the very informal school of Hollywood par-

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Old-Timer



Joe Allen in the musical comedy, "Good News," at the Shubert.

Molinari Comes Back As Symphony Conductor For Next Four Weeks

Italian, Who Made American Debut Here Last Season, to Lead Orchestra in Concerts Starting This Week.

BERNARDINO MOLINARI, director of Italy's great symphonic concerts at the Augusteo, Rome, returns to St. Louis to be guest conductor of the St. Louis Symphony orchestra for a four weeks' term, starting with the regular symphony concert pair of Friday afternoon and Saturday evening of this week. Molinari made his American debut in St. Louis last year, and later appeared with success at the Philharmonic concerts in New York. As the result of his term in St. Louis last year he appeared as conductor in the Hollywood Bowl season last summer, and this year after visiting St Louis will appear as guest conductor of the Detroit and Philadelphia orchestras.

Molinari is an outstanding figure in Italian music today. To him many of the younger Italian symphonic composers are indebted for first hearings of their works. His Augusteo concerts have assured the younger men of a voice for their music and have been a big factor in the renaissance of symphonic music in Italy during the last 20 years.

One of the new comers will be included in the concert with which Molinari returns to the St. Louis Orchestra—Guiseppi Mule, a young Sicilian, now resident in Milan. Two of his works, "A Night in Taormina" and "Orange Blossoms," are included on that program to be presented here for the first time and, also, for the first time in America. Mule is one of the few Italian composers who work in both symphonic and operatic music, and his compositions are said to be colored by his Sicilian birthright in Greco-Sicilian tradition.

Molinari at these concerts will present to St. Louis his first reading of Brahms, the work being the D Major Symphony No. 2, one in which Brahms' gift of melody finds an exquisite expression. The other works on the program are Berlioz' "Rakoczy" march from the "Damnation of Faust" and Strauss' "Death and Transfiguration." It is interesting to know in this connection that Maestro Molinari was launched as a conductor by his preparation of the Augusteo Orchestra for a series of concerts conducted by Richard Strauss in Rome some 20 years ago.

The detailed program of the concerts is:

Symphony No. 2 in D major, Op. 73—Brahms
I. Allegro non troppo.
II. Adagio non troppo.
III. Allegretto grazioso, quasi andantino.
IV. Allegro con spirito.
(a) Una notta a Taormina ..... Mule
(b) Fioriscono gli aranci ..... Mule
Tone Poem, "Death and Transfiguration" ..... Strauss
"Rakoczy March," from the "Damnation of Faust" ..... Berlioz

THE Apollo-Morning Choral Clubs will unite in a vesper concert this afternoon at 3:30 in the Second Presbyterian Church, Taylor and Westminster, with Emile Simon, cellist with the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra as soloist. Charles Galloway will direct the choral numbers, Paul Friess will be at the organ for the chorus and Catherine Carmichael for Mr. Simon.

It has been the custom of the Morning Choral for many years to give a concert of sacred songs at the Christmas period and with the two clubs a specially fine program has been arranged. The concert is open to subscribers to the two clubs and to the public, tickets being obtainable at the door.

The complete program follows:
Processional ..... Adeste Fedelis
Invocation ..... Rev. John W. MacIvor
Lord's Prayer ..... Samuel Richards Gaines
On Christmas Morning ..... T. Frederick H. Candlyn
Apollo-Morning Choral Clubs.
Entrata D Minor ..... Schenk (1630)
Allemanda and Courante ..... Bach
from G Major solo suite
Emile Simon.
Winter Legends ..... Samuel Richards Gaines
Mrs. Raymond M. Hepler-Mabie Henderson
While by My Sheep I Watch by Night—
XVII Century-Traditional
Morning Choral Club.
The Angels and the Shepherds—
Clarence Dickinson
Beautiful Savior ..... F. Melius Christiansen
Apollo-Morning Choral Clubs.
Christ is born of Maiden Fair—
Ancient Carol
The March of the Wise Men ..... Harvey Gaul
Apollo Club
Andante molto sostenuto ..... Saint Saens
(From second cello concerto.)
Ring Out Wild Bells ..... George B. Nevin
Apollo-Morning Chorus Clubs
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear—
The Two Clubs and Audience.
Benediction
Chimes

The program for the Sunday popular organ recital at the Scottish Rite Cathedral this afternoon by O. Wade Fallert organist and musical director, will be as follows:
Overture from "Zampa" (by request) ..... Herold
Romantic Suite (by request) ..... MacDowell
a. Starlight.
b. To a Wild Rose.
c. At an Old Trysting Place.
d. A Deserted Farm.
Contrasto
a. No Candle Was There and No Fire ..... Lehman
b. The Cry of Rachel ..... Salter
c. Auf Wiedersehen from "The Blue Paradise" ..... Romberg
Beulah Slocomb
Gesu Bambino ..... Yon
a. Badinage ..... Herbert
b. Love's Old Sweet Song ..... Molloy
c. March from "The Queen of Sheba" ..... Gounod

The choir of the Russian Orthodox Church of St. Michael the Archangel, will give a concert tonight at 8 in Christ Church Cathedral, directed by Father J. A. Hunchak. The choir numbers will be alternated with organ selections by Russian composers by Daniel Philippi, Cathedral organist. The concert is free to the public, and the program is:
Andante from First Sonata ..... Borowski
Processional Hymn—"O Come, All Ye Faithful."
All Angels in Heaven and All Men on Earth Rejoice ..... Mussorgsky
Glory to God in the Highest ..... Bortnansky
Lord, Now Lettest Thy Servant Depart in Peace ..... Archangelsky
Hear My Prayer, O Lord ..... Archangelsky
Thy Nativity, O Christ, Our Lord—
Russian Air
Heaven and Earth Rejoice ..... Traditional
Cherubic Hymn ..... Bortnansky
Carol—"Today Adam Rejoices" ..... Traditional
In Thy Kingdom Remember Me, O Lord ..... Archangelsky
Who Is a Greater God Than Our God? ..... Archangelsky
Silent Night ..... Hayden
The Heavenly Star ..... Traditional
Recessional—"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" ..... Mendelssohn
Postlude—Prelude ..... Bubeckoff

New York Day by Day

By O. O. McIntyre

WITH a low bow to Owen Hatters as: I like to sit near celebrities in cafes and theaters because they are so amusing to watch. The driver who yells loudest in an automobile collision is usually in the wrong. I delay getting a hair cut until my wife raises a howl.

I cannot remain angry with anyone more than a week. People who do not interest me, I avoid. I drink from eight to 10 glasses of water with every meal. Nearly all chauffeurs are satisfactory the first month.

I work late into the night and sleep all the morning. I have not eaten luncheon in eight years. A jar of hard candy is always on my night reading table. I have comparatively few close friends, although generally I like people. My wife takes complete charge of my business affairs. We have a joint bank account and I have no idea what I am worth—if anything.

I enjoy detective and mystery stories and autobiographies. I know very few rules of grammar and cannot add, multiply or subtract save in very small figures. I count on my fingers. I think the art of the Barrymores has been vastly overrated.

I am always uncomfortable and inarticulate in a crowd of strangers and have a pronounced feeling of inferiority. I do not think anyone has ever heard me boast save my wife. I used to drink more than I should but gave it up because I found it was not good for me, although I am not a teetotaler. I like to loaf around railroad stations.

Lately I have been smoking only four cigarettes a day and would like to give up smoking entirely because it is a nagging habit. I once played the mandolin.

So far as I know, I do not owe any man. I used to be always heavily in debt and was 10 years paying off creditors. I know nothing whatever about an automobile. I would like to live in Paris three months a year and the rest of the time in New York. I own a home in Houston, Tex., but will probably never live there although I like it better than any other city of its size in America.

I am rarely successful in getting jobs for people, although I am always trying. I try to answer every letter I receive in pen and ink. I write for more than 320 newspapers and am under exclusive contract to a group of magazines. I have never tried to write a play or a book, although a book containing a magazine collection of stories has been published. I have had 14 tempting cash-in-hand offers to write books, four to write plays and innumerable offers for more scenarios and revue skits. My refusal is due entirely to the firm conviction of my inability. My talents, if they could be called such, are extremely limited. I am more at home with people who have lived in small towns.

I have always believed whatever little success I had has been due entirely to hard work. I am not a brilliant person. I chew gum but only at my work.

I walk at least two miles every day before dinner. Letters I feel contain news. I do not want to hear. I do not open for several days—sometimes a month. I can get more material for my syndicated column about New York from Irvin Cobb than anyone I know.

I have had my pockets picked three times. I have never played the market and the only stock I ever bought to back my own judgment is of practically no value. I will not answer the telephone except when absolutely necessary. I often tell people I am my own secretary. I have no secretary. I frequently talk to myself and read the home town paper from cover to cover weekly.

Even the New York papers are skittish about referring to the police force as "the finest" these days. There are many fine, stalwart and honest men on the force, but there are also many who do not belong there. It is not unusual to see a policeman staggering along the streets in uniform. I have recently seen one intoxicated officer driving a police car. The Rothstein murder mess with its police delays was not calculated to heighten public respect and this was followed by one of the best known pier cops being implicated in a huge smuggling plot. Alleged grafting among motor cycle co[illegible] has long been a topic of general discussion and it is rather unusual not to find a cop sneaking into a backroom of a speakeasy in the forties at any time of day or night.

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"Genius never hits the same family twice."—Daily newspaper.

Well, for instance, there is Gilbert White, the painter, with pictures in the Luxembourg. His brother, Stewart Edward White, the novelist. And another brother, Roderick, a concert violinist.

Short shavings: Mrs. Willebrandt taught Broadway to take another joke in the recent padlocking of four ace cabarets. . . . Dean Cornwell, the artist, is occupying Sargent's studio in London. . . . Tallulah Bankhead left Broadway because it gave her the professional cold shoulder, became a London favorite and captured a Count. . . . Golfers are departing for Hawaii. . . . A combination dog and book store in an exclusive neighborhood has dropped its book department. . . . Somerset Maugham's latest play was a "flop." . . . Some good reading: "The Foolish Virgin" by Kathleen Norris and "Giant Killer" by Elmer Davis. . . . Clare Briggs' famous New Rochelle home, built of ship beams, has been sold. . . . Seven former waiters at the old Knickerbocker Hotel are now head waiters in prominent restaurants. . . . Geraldine Farrar is to marry a musical impresario. * * *

Here and There in the Picture Houses and Other Theatres



TRIXIE FRIGANZA at the ST. LOUIS



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VIOLET LA TOUR GRAND OPERA HOUSE

AT THE PLAY

By St. John Ervine

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.

IN the week before Christmas there was a lull in the activities of managers, and so I had a chance to see five missed pieces, in addition to Miss Barrymore's production of "The Kingdom of God" and a very skillfully-arranged talking picture, called "Interference." The five that were missed, but are missed no more, are: "This Thing Called Love," "The Front Page," "A Play Without a Name," "Little Accident" and "A Most Immoral Lady." "The Kingdom of God," translated from the Spanish of Sierra by Mr. and Mrs. Harley Granville-Barker, bears on it the marks of a talent that is a little tired of itself. The stuff for a fine play is in it, but the author, because he comes to it without freshness of mind, does not work it well enough. But it is human and simple and in striking contrast to the ugly-ugly school of plays that seem to be excessively popular at present.

If this play prepares the way for the revival of heroic drama, in which we shall see men who are not entirely contemptible and women who are not entirely corrupt, it will have done immeasurable service to the theater.

Moving-pictures do not come within my purview, but when I examine the causes of calamity in the theater, I am compelled to consider the effect which talking pictures will have on the theater as it is now organized.

I did not see the play out of which "Interference" was made, but undoubtedly the "talkie" is technically a very fine piece. The story is told with singular economy and the effects are obtained with swiftness and precision. The story leaves me a little cold, for the heroine is a great ninny, but I take off my hat to the people who arranged it for the screen. The voices sound fairly well, despite a tinniness of tone in them and some difficulty with sibilants. If the "talkies" cannot correct their sibilants, we shall all, through sheer imitativeness, turn into lispers.

"THIS THING CALLED LOVE" is an amusing, small piece, superbly acted by Miss Violet Heming and Mr. Minor Watson. Miss Heming's aplomb in this play is remarkable, while Mr. Watson has a charm of manner that ought to make him one of the most popular actors in America.

The play is marred by shallow cynicism. Marriage, it seems, is only endurable when the parties to it do not love each other. Well, well, well, we live and learn—a deal of twaddle.

This play is undeniably amusing. On the night after I had seen it, I saw "The Front Page" which is one of the few successful pieces now being performed in New York. Its authors, who write plays with a lavatory interest, owe more to Mr. Jed Harris, Mr. George S. Kaufman and the players, than Mr. Jed Harris, Mr. George S. Kaufman and the players owe to them. Mr. Kaufman, an uncannily clever director, owes so little to the authors that he actually abolishes their dialogue when he wishes to create an effect.

At the end of the second act, for instance, he seems to have said to the players, "I'm sick of these fellows' dull and dirty dialogue. Let's act the end of this play so noisily that the audience won't hear any of it!" The result is that the curtain, which might have fallen on a tame scene, falls on a very exciting one.

If the reporters of Chicago are truly described by Mr. Hecht and Mr. MacArthur, need we be astonished at the quality of the gangsters and gunmen? But are they truly described? I suspect that these reporters never were on land or sea, and that they were created in the cesspools which some people call their minds. There is not one decent thought or emotion expressed by any of the reporters in "The Front Page." The sentiment of pity has been left out of them. They can look on at the agony of men and women with indifference. They are without respect for decency, for suffering, for any human thing. They make the sewer rats seem to be noble by comparison with them.

"A Play Without a Name" has the most charming first act of any play that I have seen in New York, but it fails to maintain itself on that level for the remaining acts, and Mr. Strong, the author, has, I think, stultified himself by the use of a mechanical apparatus in which we are allowed to see inside the hero's skull. This device seems to me to add nothing but expense to the play which is charmingly acted by Miss Peggy Wood, Mr. Kenneth MacKenna and Miss Katherine Wilson.

"LITTLE ACCIDENT" is one of the cleverest comedies now being acted in New York. It is very amusing, original in its theme, and it is magnificently acted by a young player, Mr. Thomas Mitchell, who adds immense accomplishment to a genuine charm of manner. The remaining members of the cast are excellent, but Mr. Mitchell stays in one's memory. The play has, I believe, been made out of a novel by Mr. Floyd Dell. Unlike most of such dramatizations, it is well done, and I heartily recommend the play to my readers. They will spend a jolly evening with recognizable human beings and will not leave the theater with a disgust for their kind at the end of the play. The last of my five pieces is the least of them. "A Most Immoral Lady," which bored me excessively. Had it not been for the presence of Miss Alice Brady in the cast, I doubt if I should have stayed the course for the whole of the play. Miss Brady can act, but this part seemed not to be quite in her style. She requires, I should imagine, a simpler and more human sort of piece for the proper display of her talents.

After I had seen these American pieces, I went to see an English play, called "Potiphar's Wife." If I have said anything derogatory about the American drama, I here and now withdraw it and apologize for having said it. There cannot be anywhere in the civilized world an inepter piece than "Potiphar's Wife."

Players in O'Casey Drama

OF THE 18 persons appearing achievement in amateur theatricals in the production of Shaen O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock" at the Artists' Guild Little Theater, Union and Enright, during the week of Jan. 7, 19 have never participated in the work of the Players' Guild before. This phase Director Couley is anxious to encourage in the development of the Little Theater movement here, which is directed to the presentation of good drama, the growth of play-acting and play-writing.

Mrs. Mathilde H. Leimkuehler, formerly president of the College Club and with a past record of achievement in amateur theatricals, will do Juno Boyle and Elliott W. Bergfeld, familiar to Players' Guild audiences, will do Capt. John Boyle. While much of the action revolves around these two, they share honors with at least eight others, there being 10 important characters sketched in O'Casey's play.

Interest attaches to the production, as the Players' Guild is the medium through which the famous Irish playwright is having his introduction to a St. Louis audience. But one character speaks pure Anglo-Saxon, the 18 others using Irish dialect.

Behind the Screens

OUT IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 29.

THE youngest leading woman in Anita Louise. At the age of 10 Anita is playing the feminine lead in "Square Shoulders," a picture unique among current productions as the first juvenile talking picture.

The star is Junior Coghlan, and much of the action takes place in a military schools, so Mason Hopper will have plenty of opportunity to demonstrate what a director can do with a collection of child voices. Incidentally, the cast of youngsters includes Erich von Stroheim Jr., son of the director-actor. Apparently young Erich will be the first Von Stroheim to be heard on the talking screen.

The lure of the talkies, by the way, is bringing back to the screen many old-timers who for one reason or another dropped out of the silent drama. Among them is Landers Stevens, who quit the screen in 1920 to sell Southern California real estate. When an acquaintance, seeing him at work on a sound-stage as the doctor in "The Trial of Mary Dugan" remarked, "So you're acting again?" Stevens objected. "Selling real estate," he said, "is essentially an actor's work. I've never stopped acting."

He might have added that some o. his new subdivisions opened as dramatically as a new play. One tract he put on the market did $3,000,000 worth of business in 90 days. So his screen-acting now is just a rich man's hobby.

One of the first things everyone noticed when talking picture production began here was that the director, whose habit of talking or shouting at the actors in the midst of a scene had come to be regarded as inseparable from the creative act of making movies, was now compelled to seal his lips and remain utterly hushed while the players spoke their lines for the microphone.

Naturally that couldn't last. It was too good to be true. Technicians at First National have devised a sort of super-mouthpiece that fits over the director's face like a gas-mask and permits him to talk as much as he likes to the sound-recording crew in the control room—by telephone.

These are the days of the Great Flood in Hollywood, and the Alpine set on which Emil Jannings is making his new picture is like a hilltop on which a few refugees of the all-but-submerged silent drama are huddled, temporarily safe from the encroaching sea of sound.

Jannings himself has become a symbol of the old order, the leader of a vanishing race. He is the only strictly silent star still maintained by Paramount. The others either have adapted themselves to talking roles or suffered the consequences. Bebe Daniels, for instance, whom the company did not choose to star in dialog, has quit the organization, and Esther Ralston, who is not quite prepared to embark on her first talking venture, has had to accept reduction to the status of featured player. She supports Jannings in this picture.

For a while it seemed likely that Jannings would talk on the screen. His recently completed "Sins of the Fathers" was to have had talking sequences in which the German star, portraying a German-American character, could speak broken English without seeming stilted. But when the time came to record him in dialog his English, even as dialect, was not clear enough to be used on the screen. Truly an ironic turn of affairs for a man who was born in Brooklyn.

Of course, Janning himself was none too enthusiastic about a talking picture career. Had he been really eager he could have learned by this time a great deal of the language he missed learning when his parents took him to Germany as an infant. But in the two years since he came to Hollywood he has sought few English-speaking acquaintances, and the size of the German screen colony here has made it easy for him to lead an off-screen life almost as German as it would have been in Berlin.

Jannings' contract does not expire until next October, and whether he will remain here after that probably depends on the picture-going public's attitude toward an occasional silent Jannings film in an era of talking pictures. Meanwhile his set, at this writing, was the only silent unit at work on a lot which less than a year ago had as many as a dozen voiceless films of importance in production at the same time. The silent movies are gesturing farewell.

To be a good mail carrier in Hollywood one should attend the movies regularly and keep in touch with all the new pictures. Fans who write to their favorite players apparently expect it.

Letters come to Clara Bow addressed "IT, Hollywood," or "Hula." Betty Bronson still receives mail addressed to "Peter Pan." Dozens of letters reach the Paramount studio postoffice labeled "Wings," generally intended for Richard Arlen. Fay Wray got one the other day from Harbin, China, addressed to "Wedding Bells," apparently the result of her appearance in "The Wedding March."

The studio postmaster, Harvey Pugh, says he also gets occasional mail for "La Marquise," which he automatically forwards to Gloria Swanson. Anything bearing what looks like an unsuccessful attempt to spell a name beginning with "B" is passed on to Olga Baclanova, and usually the guess is right.

Since the movies took to talk and turned technical, engineers of one kind or another have been overrunning Hollywood. Acoustical engineers are called in to explain how soundproof stages should be built. Structural engineers familiar with steel and concrete are hired to build them. Telephone company and radio engineers install the complicated sound recording apparatus, and leave behind them recording engineers to supervise the operation of all the new devices.

Now producers even send engineers to the previews of new talking pictures, equipped with highly complicated apparatus for measuring the response of the audience. The louder the audience laughs the more violent is the movement of the indicator needle on a meter connected with microphones hung here and there about the theater. By measuring carefully the length of the laughs, these entertainment engineers compute just how much silence should be inserted between the "laugh line" and the next line of dialog in the picture.

Among the few film players here who really seem glad to see the silent screen slipping under the onslaught of the talkies is Warner Baxter, who has a rather interesting reason for his enthusiasm. From now on, he exults, the picture-goer will have a chance to see the player's real performance instead of an "edited" version which may be making a liar out of the actor.

Baxter cites cases in his silent career where the thought he used his acting ability to convey was twisted around into its exact opposite by the mere addition of a subtitle.

"I remember once," he said, "playing opposite a woman in a scene which required me to tell her in so many words that I was not at all interested in her, and in fact disliked her. Naturally my sincere effort was to convey that thought clearly in pantomime. But when I saw the completed picture on the screen a subtitle had me saying to her: 'I love you!'

"Talking pictures obviously cannot be juggled in that fashion. Now when I portray a character for camera and microphone I feel some assurance that what I am trying to do will be seen and judged on its merits by the audience. It can't be edited into something exactly opposite."

There are some things about working in talking pictures, of course, which no player could be expected to enjoy very heartily. One is that there is practically no privacy in a talking stage. The place has so many microphones it is like one immense ear, and a very private conversation quietly carried on between scenes can be heard very easily in the control room.

In an effort to forestall extinction several of the Western stars sprouted wings and rode airplanes through the clouds instead of roping steers from a horse. Tom Mix, after changing his mind about going to South America, tried galloping in the sky for a change. Buck Jones also mounted an airplane and rode the wind; Buzz Barton tried a juvenile air-western, and Hoot Gibson still is hopeful that he and Ruth Elder, the girl flyer, will be able to revive the public's interest in wide-open spaces. Airplanes, however, are so much more expensive to operate than horses that most performers quickly lost their enthusiasm for cloud-hopping bronco-busters.

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Inside there was a horrible sight. The captain, still dressed in his woolen nightshirt, lay stretched on the bed in a frightful welter of blood, which had stained the bunk and the floor of the cabin. From his breast protruded the handle of a good-sized knife. There could be no doubt that the man had been dead for hours.

"We had better leave everything for the police," said Capt. Fraser, but he glanced curiously about the cabin. The only entrance, besides the open porthole, was a small window in the wall, leading to the cook's gallery. He saw that it was unlocked. No man could crawl through either aperture.

Beyond the galley was the cabin where the three men of the crew slept in an appalling intimacy, when they were off duty.

It was not to be wondered if men grew to hate one another after weeks in such cramped quarters and Schmidt, it was well known, had been a stubborn, slow-witted captain. He was a stolid German, usually in the throes of a gin drunk. Even now the heavy smell of juniper invaded the cabin above the rising odor of blood.

Frazer turned hurriedly back to the group of men huddled beside the door. As he glanced at their belts he saw that each one carried a knife, similar, but easily distinguishable from that in the breast of the captain.

"Whose knife is that in his body?" he asked, and watched the men for a change of expression.

"His own," they answered in one voice.

When the police boat arrived shortly afterwards with a number of smooth and insensitive experts, the investigation took on rather a different air.

Suspicion was attached to each of the crew in turn, and they were asked to give an alibi for the hours from 11 to 3—the time during which, according to the physician, death must have occurred.

It had been Gresham's turn at the helm until 1. Arnold and Stevens were both asleep in their bunks. At 1 Stevens had replaced Gresham and the latter, Arnold testified, had gone to bed.

The captain had been last seen by all of them at 7 o'clock, when he shut himself in his cabin, as was his custom ir the evenings. Before dinner he had been drunk and had violently threatened each of the men for some slight duty unperformed. They all admitted disliking the old German, but none, it would apppear, with intensity enough to commit a murder.

"Murder? Why do you think it was a murder?" asked Inspector Harvey.

"The doctor's testimony shows that from the angle of the wound suicide was quite possible. I should like to know why the crew all thought it was murder so quickly. The door was locked, the knife was the captain's own, he went to bed drunk, as you know. Why should it be murder?"

Captain Frazer began to breathe a sigh of relief, which was shared by all the members of the crew except the muttering Arnold to whom a suicide, it appeared, required as many voodoo mutterings as a murder. But the Inspector drew the captain aside.

"We have our reasons for knowing it's murder," he whispered. "But I'm damned if I see why they did—none of them seems to have a reason.

"Among other things, we found the Captain's alarm clock all wound and set for a quarter of six. No man sets an alarm when he's planning to kill himself. The clock had been knocked to the floor by the bed, evidently by the murderer. It was stopped at half past three. What time did the watch change?"

"Gresham was on from nine to one last night, then Stevens from one to five."

The Inspector eyed Stevens with a new interest. Then he started on another track.

"What did the Captain do in the evenings in his cabin, aside from drinking? Why didn't he stay outside?"

"He wrote things out of a book," said Stevens with the same faint awe with which he had regarded the corpse. "He never spoke good English, and he was always saying that if he could learn anything he'd get a raise."

Gresham remained sunk in a surly silence, and was not heard from except in his monosyllabic replies to the required questions. Arnold was plainly terrified beyond all present help.

That Stevens had told the truth however, was proven a few moments later, when the contents of the dead man's trunk were spread out for the inspector. There was found among them a strange and pathethic bunch of worn German volumes—Schiller, Nietzsche, a primer of astronomy, and a cheap popular novel of ten years before.

One thing which the Inspector's men failed to find was the key which had locked the cabin door—on which side, no one could say. The Captain had not been accustomed to lock himself in at night, but if he had planned a suicide, of course, he might be excused for departing from his habits.

"But I tell you it couldn't have been a suicide," blustered the Inspector. Then he caught side of the Negro Arnold, groaning under his breath as he secretly began to tear a strip of paper into long shreds. "What have you got there?" asked the detective sharply.

The frightened cook surrendered the slip of paper and told in a quaking voice how he had come by it. When the three men had entered the cabin and had found the Captain dead, he had seen this piece of paper beside him and had taken it for a charm to frighten away bad spirits. He became terrified at all the policemen and then thought he'd better tear it up. No, he hadn't read it. He couldn't. And the others hadn't seen it at all. On the paper was written, in writing which tallied with that of the dead Captain's, written reports: "My death I praise, the willing death, which comes to me since I want it."

Who killed the Captain, and how did he cover his tracks?

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The solution of this mystery will be printed next Sunday. Another mystery outline will also be published on that date.

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Who Was Guilty

Solution to "The Mysterious Murder in Roslyn" in Last Sunday's Post-Dispatch.

WILSON was heavily indebted to Connelly as an aftermath of their poker games. When Connelly came to Roslyn to place an order late at night, Wilson attacked him with a blackjack and dismembered the corpse. Then he secured a postman's uniform and mail bag. Putting the head and hands in the bag, he drove to town and, leaving his car, went on foot to Victor's lodgings, knowing the gangster would almost certainly be at home so early in the morning.

As Victor was another of his creditors, he was anxious to murder him, if it was possible to do so without chance of detection. Everyone knew that Connelly and Victor were enemies, and it was the essence of Wilson's plan to make the police believe that Victor had killed Connelly and then left town.

He got Victor to open the door; and then hit him over the head, knocking him unconscious. From his mail bag he took a heavy saw with which he removed the head and hands of the bootlegger, hacking off the arms and feet also to make the plan less transparent. He placed Connelly's head and hands by the body of Victor, carrying off the head and hands that belonged to it in his bag. He returned with them to Roslyn.

That night he seized on the liquor delivery across the bay as an excuse to dispose of the parts of Connelly's and Victor's bodies. He placed them in a liquor barrel in water, and to the spigot hole he attached a hot water bag filled with excellent whisky. It was from this nag that he syphoned off the rye which Ehrich passed around to the boys.

Having witnesses to the contents of the barrel, Wilson felt safe in disposing of it overboard during the liquor delivery, and with this in view attracted the attention of the revenue cutter, which would give him a plausible reason for throwing the barrel overboard.

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Ninety-six years ago today St. Louis University was granted its charter. At that time it had been established 14 years as an academy, but from the date of the granting of the charter it became a university.

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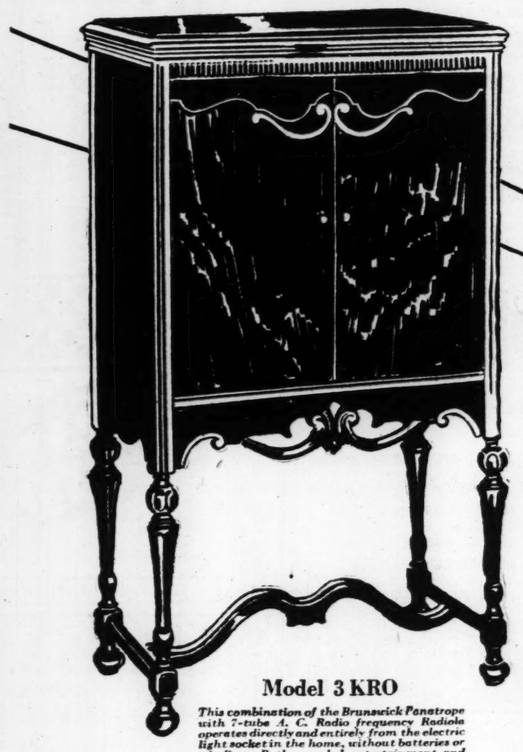
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When members of the South Side Kiwanis Club attended their annual Christmas meeting at Bevo Mill, Friday noon, each was required to bring—and each did bring—a poor child picked up from the street. The gathering comprised children of all types, ages and colors.

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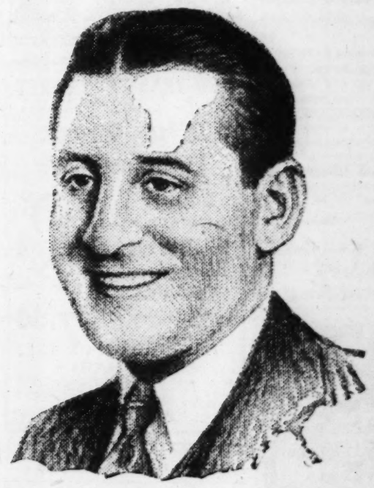
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Sixteen St. Louisans Among the 25 Receiving Honorary Titles.

Sixteen St. Louisans are included in a list of 25 honorary Colonels whose appointments were announced yesterday by Governor-elect Caulfield. The appointments carry no military authority, either in the Federal forces or the National Guard, and the services of honorary Colonels are entirely social in character.

Within a few days announcement will be made of other members of the Governor's staff. Yesterday's list follows:

St. Louis: Sidney Salkey, attorney; Isaac T. Cook, downtown office building operator; Louis H. Waltke, former soap manufacturer and now an investment broker; Ira J. Bretzfelder, manufacturer; Sidney M. Shoenberg, investment broker; Paul J. Neff, general superintendent of the Missouri Pacific railroad; Morris Boorstin, superintendent of grounds and buildings of Washington University; J. E. Hutchinson, vice-president of the Frisco Lines; David H. Cohen, oil dealer; William E. Caulfield, real estate dealer, former State Senator, and brother of the Governor-elect; W. A. Meletio, fish dealer; H. J. Talbot, operator of a warehousing business; Albert N. Stanley, tire dealer; George C. Welck, undertaker; Arthur Stoehr, Frisco Lines employe and member of the Citizen's Bond Issue Supervisory Committee; Hilton F. Napier, Assistant Circuit Attorney under Howard Sidener.

Kansas City: Theodore Gary, former telephone system owner and former State Highway Commissioner; Henry M. Beardsley, attorney; Joseph B. Thompson, insurance agent; United States District Judge A. L. Reeves; William C. Buchholz, attorney and Albert Newman, a banker.

Other cities: W. A. Eylenberg, of Chillicothe, member of the Republican State Committee; Robert E. Meentemeyer, of Gideon and Clarence D. Hicks, of Mexico City, Mexico representative of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

WALTONS FOR NON-PARTISAN FISH AND GAME BOARD

League to Advocate Unsalaried Commission at Next Session of Legislature.

A bill providing for management of the State Fish and Game Department by a non-partisan and non-salaried commission will be sponsored by the Izaak Walton League of Missouri at the approaching session of the Legislature, Harry Collins, vice president, announced yesterday.

Decision to this effect was reached by the directors, who met at Hannibal. The number of commissioners was not determined. The commission would decide administrative policies while a salaried executive secretary would conduct the department.

Answer to Today's Crossword Puzzle



DRIVER WHO KILLED BOY HELD FOR CARELESSNES

Brakes Faulty on Frank Huelsmann's Truck—Ran Down Stanley Sikorski.

Frank Huelsmann, a chauffeur, 3851A Lee avenue, was charged with criminal carelessness by a Coroner's jury yesterday following an inquest in the case of Stanley Sikorski, 4 years old, 1625 North Sixteenth street, who was crushed to death Friday noon at Seventeenth and Chambers street by a truck driven by Huelsmann.

Huelsmann was ordered held under $5000 bond for the grand jury after a mechanic, Frank Florsek, testified that he examined the truck following the accident and found that the foot brake was not effective and that the emergency brake needed adjustment. Huelsmann did not testify.

The boy was killed when he ran in front of the truck to join his brother, Joseph Jr., 7 years old, who was on the opposite side of Seventeenth street. A rear wheel of the truck passed over his body.

ASKS COURT TO FIRE FOREMAN WHO WON'T ACCEPT DISCHARGE

Maplewood Man Gets Injunction Barring Employe From East Side Building Work.

H. A. Marmaduke, a construction foreman is restrained from proceeding with work on three houses under construction at 2903-5-7 Renshaw avenue, East St. Louis, under a temporary injunction granted by City Judge Silas Cook yesterday.

The injunction was obtained by Joseph A. Miller of Maplewood, owner of the houses, who asserts he employed Marmaduke under an oral agreement at $8 a day to supervise the construction work. Miller charges Marmaduke neglected his duties and, when discharged recently, threatened Miller with bodily harm and refused to quit. Marmaduke resides at 2911 Renshaw avenue.

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Cherokee 2716 Cherokee — STAR CAST in "STREET OF ILLUSION." Also Comedy and others.
Cinderella Cherokee & Iowa — STAR CAST in "THE WRIGHT IDEA" and Big Stage Show and others.
Criterion Bdwy & Olive — "THE HOUSE OF BONDAGE." No Children Admitted. For Men Only.
EXCELLO 2508 Salisbury — "Runaway Girls" and Patsy Ruth Miller in "Beautiful But Dumb."
FAIRY 5610 Easton — WM. BOYD in "POWER" and "THE DIVINE SINNER." Also Comedy.
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A divorce on ground of non-support was granted by Circuit Judge Killoren to Mrs. Viola G. Holland, 4413A Holly avenue, from Edwin Roy Holland yesterday. Holland is a traveling salesman, residing at Springfield, Mo. An alimony settlement provides $350 in gross and $20 a month for the support of a child, Anne, 3 years old. The case was uncontested.

Grocer Reports $21 Holdup.
Albert Wehlemann, a grocer, 2000 North Eleventh street, reported he was held up in his store by two men and robbed of $21 early yesterday.

New York Rabbi at Y. M. H. A.
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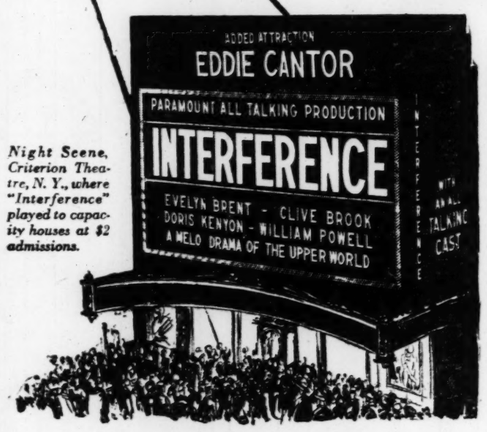
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Activities of Boy Scouts

ST. LOUIS COUNCIL HAS 8738 MEMBERS

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The largest membership in its more than 15 years' existence has been reached by the Boy Scout organization in St. Louis, according to an announcement issued by the St. Louis council. Memberships in the council, which includes St. Louis County as well as city, now total 8738 men and boys, 7171 of whom are registered scouts, and 1567 volunteer adult leaders. The figure represents an increase of more than 600 over that of a year ago.

While growth throughout the year, except during the summer vacation months, has been fairly regular, a heavy percentage of the increase occurred during the last month, when the annual roundup for recruits has been under way. It has been customary each year, in preparation for the annual Scout Circus, to make an effort to obtain as a member every boy who has become 12 years old during the last year. These new recruits have then been invested with the rank of Tenderfoot Scout in a huge investiture ceremony, which is one of the features of the circus. During the first week of the roundup this month more than 100 recruits were obtained—this figure itself establishing a new record.

The roster of the local organization at present includes 269 troops, meeting at as many different institutions. The South District leads with 82, followed by the North with 74, the West with 66 and the Suburban with 47. This order, however, is changed with the number of scouts per district, the West District, with eight fewer troops, having nearly 300 more scouts than the North. Scouts per district were divided as follows: South, 2269; West, 1956; North, 1676; Suburban, 1270.

Despite the new record, provision is being made for a considerably larger membership by spring, it being estimated that nearly 2000 new scouts will be taken into the organization at the next circus. About 200 of these, signed so far during the roundup, are now included in the membership total. The other 1800 are expected to join during January and February, when the drive will be intensified. The circus will be held this year at the Coliseum, Feb. 22 and 23.

The St. Louis council is now one of the largest in the world.

$1,000,000 for Poor of Berlin.
By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—The municipality of Berlin distributed more than $1,000,000 to the poor at Christmas. Varying amounts were paid to the same persons who regularly receive Government aid, including disabled soldiers, unemployed, aged and destitute dependents of war victims.

Troop Notes

Headquarters Notes.

The Campers' Saving Club, a headquarters activity, whereby Boy Scouts may save for their summer encampment, will open for next season Jan. 5, according to Activities Director Swanson. The club operates somewhat upon the same system as Christmas savings clubs at the banks, but in addition entitles the member to first choice of camp sections and a reduction in the camp fee at the official camp conducted by the local council.

More than 1700 scouts were members of the club last year.

The next meeting of the scoutmasters' training course, conducted at the William Stix School, will be held Jan. 7. The course has been closed during the holidays.

Plans for roving camp tours for the summer of 1929 have been formulated by the local Boy Scout council to include two Eastern tours and one Western. This is the same program as followed this last summer. The Eastern tours will include Washington, New York, Philadelphia, Niagara Falls and Atlantic City. The Western will visit Yellowstone Park, the Cheyenne rodeo, Pike's Peak and Colorado Springs. Reservations in each tour are limited to 50 boys.

North District.

Troop 3—A new recruit, Lester Gobel, joined the Bob White Patrol of Troop 3 of the Grace Holy Cross Church at the last meeting. Patrol projects were turned in, including a knot board made by the Wolves and a bulletin board made by the Bob Whites. Scout Simpko is the new patrol leader of the Bob Whites. The scout having the highest rating by next summer is to receive as a prize a trip to Irondale, and a monthly prize will be given to the highest patrol at the end of each month.

The reorganization and re-registration of Troop 114 of the Baden School on Halls Ferry road has been completed, with the following scouts re-registered: Walter Bender, Fred Borgman, William Borgman, Curtis Flake, T. Forbes, Charles Fox, Donald Hahn, William Neel, Ivan Povich, Basil Prater, Leonard Richman, Melvin Rother, George Schergen, Elvin Shoults, Stewart Vogel, Harry Wachsler, John Walden and Fred DeHass. John H. Parkinson has been selected by the troop committee for scoutmaster and Harry Pilgrim will serve as assistant scoutmaster. The troop committee, selected from the membership of the Patrons' Association, is composed of Fred Flake, E. J. Vere, R. R. Wolk, E. Wachsler and Arthur Hilke.

Charles Raffles has been appointed scoutmaster of Troop 156 of the St. Casimir's Church.

A parents' meeting was held by Troop 88 of the Salem Evangelical Church last week, at which nine members of the troop committee were presented with pins as an appreciation of the work the men have been during for the troop. A program of scouting activities was given by the various patrols and the prizes for the inter-patrol contest were announced by the committee. About 125 parents attended the meeting. Assistant Scout Executive John D. Wright and Field Executive L. L. Hotchkiss presented the various awards.

South District.

A reorganization meeting was held by Troop 217 of the Southampton Presbyterian Church last Friday night. Plans were made for the formation of a Fathers' and Mothers' Club. The scouts are working during the holidays to make money to buy a motion picture camera for the troop. They are also getting tracking irons, leathercraft sets and woodworking sets to aid in the winter program of activities.

Scouts exchanged gifts at a Christmas party of Troop 155, of the McCausland Avenue Presbyterian Church, held recently. Two games, a water rescue and knot relay race were played. During the closing ceremony the Tiger and Bear Patrols gave Scoutmaster Pollack Christmas presents. Scout Fred Hahn is reporter of Troop 155.

West District.

More than 200 parents and friends of Troop 2 of the Pilgrim Congregational Church were present at the second annual scout party last Friday night to witness the ceremonies incident to the presentation of awards for individual and patrol accomplishments during the year.

In an Indian camp scene, 19 tenderfoot scouts were presented a blue feather, together with second class pins and cards. A demonstration on first aid and knots followed. The award for the patrol contest was made to the Panthers, of which Clinton B. Rainier is patrol leader. The award was copies of the books, "The Lone Scout of the Sky," and "Dick Byrd, Air Explorer." The Beavers were each presented a bottle of ketchup so that they could "catch up" with the winners. The Hawks, winners of the 1928 Camparall in the West District, were introduced to the guests, as were the members of the Owl patrol, which won fifth place. Troop 2 now has 63 members. Refreshments were served after the closing ceremony.

HANDICRAFT CENTER MOVES

Gathering Place for Scout Leaders Now Room 627 Missouri Theater.

The St. Louis Scout Leaders' Handicraft Center, formerly on the fourth floor of the Missouri Theater Building, has been moved to room 627 in the same building. The Center is a gathering place for commissioned and noncommissioned Boy Scout leaders who desire to practice the various handicrafts in preparation to teaching them as troop and patrol projects.

The Center, which has been closed during the Christmas holidays, will reopen Thursday. Scouts and leaders who have not previously attended sessions of the Center, but who wish to attend, should see the activities director of the council to obtain the necessary permit.

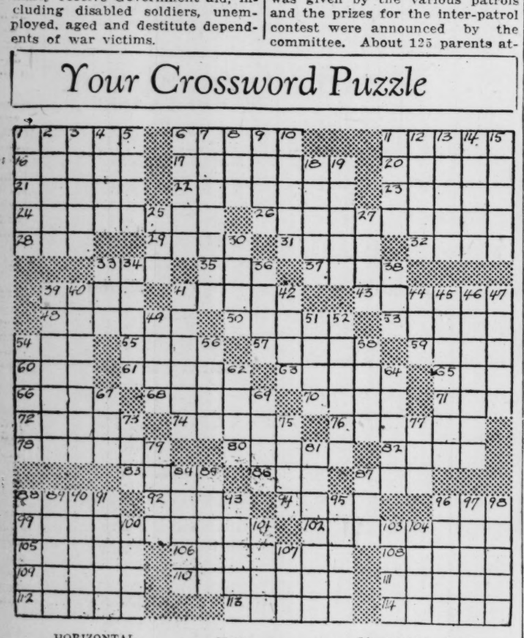
R. B. H. GRADWOHL IN BERLIN

Bacteriologist and Wife to Remain There Three Months.

Dr. R. B. H. Gradwohl, St. Louis bacteriologist, and Mrs. Gradwohl, who sailed from New York for Europe Dec. 12, arrived in Berlin yesterday. They will remain for three months in Berlin, where Dr. Gradwohl will study German methods of blood diagnosis.

Recently he and Mrs. Gradwohl published a technical medical volume of which they were co-authors.

Your Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

1—Poets
6—Fix deeply
11—Keen
16—Farewell
17—Least burdensome
20—Acknowledge
21—Bar for raising weights
22—Crystalline compound found in the root of sasparilla
23—Form in rows
24—Fundamentals
26—Process which results in an eruption on an internal mucous membrane
28—Tennis match
29—Land surrounded by water
31—Snowshoe
32—Laira
33—Undermine
35—Tin
37—Volcano in Italy
39—Courage
41—Love intensely
43—Regions of indefinite extent
48—Leased
50—Associated with heels
53—Diadem
54—Pale
56—Footless animal
57—Peeled
59—City in New York
60—Individual
61—Thick cords
63—Lair
64—Tailless monkey
66—Pits out
68—Stop dead
70—Town in Iowa
71—Russian local community
72—Vapor
75—Murdered
76—Football team
78—Machine for spreading grass
80—One who is curious
82—Heap
83—Precise
86—Feminine name
87—Devoured
88—Priestly vestments
92—Vended
94—Heroic aviators
96—Cloth measure
99—Plant allied with a European herb used as a demulcent
102—Impoverishment of the blood
105—With the motion of the ocean
106—Personality
108—Assumed name
109—Lucky number
110—Turn backward
111—Measure of capacity
112—Wear away
113—Penetrate
114—Sacred city of the Buddhists

VERTICAL

1—Large bundles
2—Feminine name
3—Make fast
4—Think
5—Certain
6—Chairs
7—Having pendent-like fringes
8—Masculine name
9—Deep mud
10—Common laborers
11—Persian ruler
12—Perforated
13—Plant of the parsley family
14—Discharged samurai
15—Coward
18—Serpent
19—Dogma
25—Pinch
27—Canvas shelter
30—Biblical name
33—Moral mistake
36—Let fall
38—Craft
39—Massive crystalline rock
40—Failed to follow suit
41—Accepts from some one else
42—Country south of Assyria
44—River island
45—Kind of candy
46—Colorless crystalline compound
47—One who recites
49—Epic poem
51—Assam silkworm
52—Transmitter
54—Defeat
55—Distribute cards
58—Affair of honor
62—Strike with the palm
64—Was in a somnolent condition
67—Morose
69—Italian coin
73—Males
75—Feminine name
77—Strive for superiority
79—Soar
81—Surround
84—Tremble
85—Eulogistic memoir
87—Venomous snake
88—Degrade
89—Let down
90—Bandit
91—Reclaimed
93—Urged forcibly
95—Sea duck
96—Gives forth
97—Prevaricators
98—City of Crete
100—Tunney's nickname
101—Immediately afterward
103—Passageway
104—Lamb's pen name
107—Worthless leaving

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JUDGES REJECT FIVE OF LILL'S DEPUTIES

Sheriff-Elect's Chief Assistant Among Those Failing of Confirmation.

Confirmation of the appointment of five deputies of Sheriff-elect Alfred G. Lill of St. Louis County, including that of his chief deputy, was refused yesterday by Circuit Judges Mulloy and Kiskaddon. Appointments of 18 other deputies were approved as submitted by Lill.

Those who failed of confirmation were: Jacob Pfeiffer, former Justice of the Peace, who was to have been chief deputy under Lill; Richard Barr, who was to have been a general service deputy; Edward J. Haub, who was appointed to police the Page-Midland district, and Edward R. Schmidt and Charles Thompson, who had been detailed tentatively to the Wellston district.

All of the rejected appointees are county employes. Pfeiffer, Haub, Schmidt and Thompson are deputies under Sheriff Wilmas, and Barr is a copyist in the office of Recorder of Deeds Arthur W. Schmid, who retired from the race for Sheriff after winning a hard fight for the nomination. Lill was appointed by the County Committee to take his place on the Republican ticket.

In announcing their confirmations and rejections the Circuit Judges made no comment on their action, which is unprecedented in recent county history. Judge Mulloy, who has been active in reform work in the county, declared however, that he would make a statement later if circumstances called for it.

Those whose appointments as deputies were confirmed: Arnold Willmann, now a deputy, former Washington University athlete and the son of the late John Willmann, a former sheriff; Jules Schoenbein, former Constable of Central township; Martin Walsh and Andrew Shores, courtroom bailiffs under Sheriff Wilmas, who continue in the same capacity under Lill; Frank Schmidt, a former deputy; Leonard Lazear, Edward Kline, Herman Barton, Barney Litzinger, who is to continue as office deputy and turnkey; William Wenom, Charles Wiegmann and Gus Reinke, now deputies under Wilmas; Henry Krull, Robert Donaldson and Al Griedel, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dietrich of Clayton, who will be respectively jailer and matron.

1675 DISABLED CHILDREN LIVE IN ST. LOUIS COUNTY

State Census Taken So Far Covers 90 of the 114 Counties in Missouri.

There are 1675 crippled children in St. Louis County, according to a State census, by counties, now being conducted by the Missouri Society for Crippled Children with headquarters at Jefferson City. Reports have been received thus far from 90 of the State's 114 counties.

Boone County reports 87 crippled children: Cole, 46; Greene, 101; Jackson (including Kansas City), 756; Marion, 48; Pettis, 118; Reynolds, 23, and St. Francois, 57.

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WANT NO SUB-STATION IN SHERMAN PARK

Neighbors Plan Suit to Bar Construction of Electric Plant There.

Residents in the vicinity of Sherman Park, Kingshighway and Easton avenue, have combined to protest against construction by the city of an electric substation in the park. Excavation work began on the project Friday. Owners of property adjoining the park fear it will interfere with use of the playground by children and with the operation of radio sets in nearby homes.

C. H. Hausman, 5210 Theodosia avenue, is planning to institute a suit to restrain the city from continuing with the construction work on the substation. A mass meeting of neighborhood residents is being arranged and a petition will be drawn up.

Former Mayor Kiel, who will be invited to attend the meeting, told protesters that Sherman Park, which the city acquired during his administration, was bought with the idea that no buildings would be erected on it. The park was the old site of Christian Brothers' College.

Mrs. E. L. Seagrave, 5200 Theodosia avenue, a leader in the protest movement, said: "The ground on which the electric station is being built has been used by children as a ball ground. They were not allowed to play in the streets, and when they played on the sidewalks near their homes, people objected. So the park was the only place where they could play. They were not allowed on the professional ball grounds and had to use the area where the building is being put up.

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James Allen, Negro, of St. Louis County, a third-term convict, was paroled after serving five years and six months of a 30-year sentence for burglary and larceny and an attempted criminal attack. The board, in its letter to the Governor, said that it had no knowledge of the circumstances of the crime, or the evidence against Allen, as former Prosecuting Attorney Adam Henry Jones had not answered a request for a statement of the facts, and that Judge McElhinney, the trial Judge, was dead.

Allen previously had served one term in the Missouri Penitentiary and one term in the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. The board said it did not believe Allen would "again fall into the habits of crime," because he had a good record at the prison.

Son of Attorney Released.

Walter E. Nolan of St. Louis, who has served two years and 10 months of a seven-year sentence for robbery, was the seventh convict in the group to be released. In his case the Penal Board reached a mathematical conclusion that the time actually served was almost equal to five years, under the seven-twelfths system, and stated "five years was the usual penalty" in such cases.

The board also suggested as a mitigating circumstance that Nolan could have obtained a lighter sentence if he had pleaded guilty, but he insisted on standing trial. It was declared there was no aggravating circumstance in the crime.

Nolan and Walter Schroer were charged with robbing Delbert Bowen, 3000 McNair avenue, of $18 in a holdup of a grocery store Oct. 15, 1928. Schroer confessed, according to the records, and received a five-year sentence. Nolan is a son of J. A. Nolan, an attorney, of St. Louis.

Says Early Tribes Traveled By America-to-Asia Route

Dr. Franz Boas Presents Theory of Emigration From New World to Old World in Prehistoric Days.

By WALTON DAVIS.
Managing Editor Science Service.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Long before the time of Columbus, the New World sent human emigrants to the Old World, although America originally received its supply of human stock from Eurasia. This new idea that America was populated from Asia and at a much later date sent some of its peoples back across Bering Strait to mingle with the tribes of Siberia was presented to the American Association for the Advancement of Science late this afternoon by Dr. Franz Boas of Columbia University.

Evidence in the language, customs and remains of the Eskimos, Asiatic peoples, Siberian tribes and American Indians caused Dr. Boas to come to this tentative conclusion.

"At an early time, the Mongoloid races migrated in a number of waves into the American continent and were gradually driven southward by the inclemency of the Arctic climate," Dr. Boas said. "Later on, when the climate became more temperate, man settled again in the more northern districts, and an eastern and western wave turned northward. The outposts of the eastern wave may have been the Eskimo, while the western wave moved across Bering Strait and back into Siberia, where it amalgamated later with the Old World tribes, which also migrated northward when Siberia became habitable."

Two Possibilities of Time.

The first human beings to step on American soil must have come either earlier than 50,000 years ago or else as late as 7000 years ago. This is geology's contribution toward solving the vexatious problem of when this continent was first inhabited. Dr. Ernest Antevs of the American Geographical Society, pointed out that the last great ice sheet slowly spread down over Canada, also freezing part of Alaska, and then slowly retreated afain, blockading the northwest coast for thousands of years. The blockade of Bering Strait ended about 7000 years ago. Since this region is generally accepted to be the route of the first American immigrants, who were Asiatics, immigration must have been impossible until that time.

The mouth is the most cosmopolitan organ of the body, making contacts with remote parts of the world while all the rest of us remains provincial and untraveled. The only trouble with it, however, is that it touches the seamy side of life in foreign parts as well as the more desirable. Prof. C. A. Kofoid of the University of California drew a somewhat startling sketch of the function of our oral cavity as a port of entry for germs.

Daily Menu Is Cosmopolitan.

"The food passed daily through the mouth," he said, "has passed through the hands of who knows how many hundreds of persons—sweating coolies rolling tea leaves in Chinese godowns, laborers in Arabia, Sao Paulo or Limon washing out coffee beans, Malays in Batavia roasting chocolate beans, Negroes in Havana or Filipinos in Honolulu handling sugar, Mexicans picking oranges in Riverside, and so on through the long list of essentials and relishes that supply and embellish our daily menu."

Most of the cosmopolitan array of unwanted microbic immigrants that thus pass our personal gates, however, do not stop in the mouth, but travel on into the interior and there establish themselves. This is especially true of the protozoa, or microscopic animal forms. Although the mouth is the permanent residence of swarms of bacteria, only two species of protozoa are commonly found there. These are troublesome enough, however, for they are among the causes of pyorrhea.

How Juice Gets Into Orange.

How does juice get into an orange, and why does it stay there during the long hours, yes days, on a peddler's push cart? These questions were asked and answered by Dr. Howard S. Reed, of the Citrus Experiment Station, Riverside, Cal.

He found that the juice travels through the peel, that substance called pictin, which of late is coming into prominence in foods, absorbs the juices and transfers them into the cells which squirt upon vests and eye-glasses when eating begins.

But the pictin doesn't reverse the process by letting out the juice, and once in the orange cells, it stays, because nature hasn't provided many ways except teeth to take it out.

Phenomenon in Sounds.

Sounds produced in a wholly new way were heard at the American Physical Society section today.

First, in a perfectly normal way, a magnetic tuning fork was caused to sound a note of high clear pitch, produced by 1600 vibrations a second.

But some distance away, in the same room, stood two other sound modulators, unattached through human, electrical or mechanical means with the tuning fork. Yet when an amplifier was attached to them, two notes rose clear and distinct, almost musical, to fill the room. They had been caused by the tuning fork sound.

The amazing fact was that these two notes were not the same as the tone from the tuning fork They were of lower pitch, each different from the other. One was of a pitch of 700 vibrations, the other of 900.

Why Notes Are Different.

The explanation is that the high-pitched tone sets up certain accompanying tones which are separated from it by fixed regular intervals. The demonstration was for the purpose of opening to physicists a new method of investigating one of the great discoveries of 1928, which is certain light waves set up light of a different wave length, or color, by a method which seems to be almost exactly analagous to what happens in making of ghostly sound waves. This discovery is known technically as the Raman effect. The demonstration was made today by R. V. L. Hartley of the Bell Telephone laboratories, New York.

Its importance lies in the fact that it may apply to such things as discovering the source of some of the troubles that still beset radio transmission, and to all the changes of chemistry and growth that depend on the action of atoms, for the Raman discovery and the sound analogy demonstrated today aim at unravelling the actions and structure of atoms and molecules, of which every tangible object is made. Intangible light itself was said last night by Dr. Arthur H. Compton of Chicago to be particles and waves combined.

INDIA FIRST, U. S. NEXT IN CASES OF SMALLPOX

Admiral Grayson Gives Figures at Pan-American Medical Session in Havana.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 29.—The United States reported almost 24,000 cases of smallpox last year, more than any other country in the world from which reports are received, except India, Armiral Cary T. Grayson, president of the Gorgas Memorial Institute in Washington, told the Pan-American Medical Association today.

"This was due," he said, "to the neglect of the people to employ vaccination, and was an illustration of the opportunities afforded the institute for the great reduction of disease."

Diphtheria, another preventable disease from which the United States is yearly losing many thousands, and scarlet fever were given as further examples of the many physical impairments, disabilities and diseases that are slowing down industry and materially checking progress.

Grayson said the fight against disease was not a national one. "The marking of boundary lines by surveyors does not retard the march of disease," he said. "Our work for better health must therefore reach beyond the territorial limits of a given nation and include all its neighbors."

Notre Dame Ball Wednesday.

The Missouri Notre Dame Club, comprising students and alumni of that university living in the State, will hold its annual New Year's ball at the Congress Hotel Wednesday night at 10 o'clock. Officers will be elected.

CHARGES ASSESSED IN CHIPPEWA PROJECT

Special Commissioners Make Report on Widening, Damages and Benefits.

The report of the special commissioners assessing damages and benefits in the condemnation proceedings for the Chippewa street widening project will be filed in Circuit Court this week.

Gross damages awarded for the acquisition of additional right-of-way to make this project an 80-foot street extending from Grand avenue westward to the city limits will amount to $164,880.53. The amount is to be paid by special assessments against property in a benefited district covering a wide area.

The project contemplates adding 20 feet to the south side of Chippewa street, from Grand avenue to Kingshighway, opening a new street from Kingshighway to Brannon avenue, where it will run into Lansdowne avenue, which from Watson road to the River des Peres is to be widend from 50 feet to 80 feet by adding 15 feet on each side, construction of a viaduct over the River des Peres and continuation of the street to the city limits. The improvement is intended to provide a direct connection from the South Side to Manchester road in the county.

The highest assessment recommended for this work is $10 a front foot at Chippewa and Grand and at Chippewa and Kingshighway. At the extreme east and west boundaries of the district the assessment is 65 cents and 50 cents, respectively, a front foot.

The benefit district starts at Chippewa and Broadway, taking in the property fronting on Chippewa, but from Grand avenue to Morganford road the district extends to Keokuk avenue on the south and Gravois avenue on the north; thence to Kingshighway. The southern limit is Osceola avenue and the northern limit is Penrod avenue. From Kingshighway west it takes in both sides of Bancroft avenue on the south and both sides of Pernod avtnue on the north.

This condemnation proceeding, which was initiated in 1923, is for the acquisition of right-of-way only, and does not provide for the work of widening. In the usual course, further action cannot be taken until the Circuit Court acts upon the condemnation report, and it is not likely that the work of widening can be started before some time next summer.

The special commissioners making the report are Otto G. Dietz, a contractor, Otto J. Bode, a machine shop proprietor, and Jesse L. Renderer, a lawyer.

MAN WHO FOUND PELLAGRA CURE ILL OF MYSTERIOUS DISEASE

Dr. Joseph Goldberger Used in His Test Convicts Who Won Pardon by Submitting to It.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The man who found the cause and cure of the once mysterious disease pellagra has been attacked by an unidentified malady that threatens him with death.

Two blood transfusions have been given to Dr. Joseph Goldberger, United States Public Health Service physician and conqueror of pellagra, and others will be made semiweekly. His physicians are at a loss to explain his illness, though they agree that it is some form of anemia.

By the Associated Press.

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 29.—It was on a Mississippi convict farm that Dr. Goldberger discovered the cause and cure of pellagra. During the administration of Gov. Earl Brewer (1912-16), a secret agreement was entered into with a group of white convicts at the Rankin farm to determine the truth of Dr. Goldberger's theory that pellegra was caused by an unbalanced ration.

Testing this theory Dr. Goldberger fed a group of convicts on unbalanced rations—chiefly corn bread and bacon—for several months, until positive cases of pellagra developed. Then, by feeding the same prisoners a well-balanced diet he restored them to health. All the members of the group that submitted to the test were then pardoned by Gov. Brewer.

DEAD IN GAS FILLED KITCHEN

C. F. Mohlman, 67, Had Been Despondent and in Bad Health.

Charles F. Mohlman, 67 years old, a retired teamster, was found dead in the gas-filled kitchen of the home of his son-in-law, Herbert J. McElhinney, at 5888 Cabanne avenue, yesterday afternoon. He was seated near the open jet of a gas stove in the kitchen, with a heavy woolen sweater wound about his head.

He said Mohlman had been in ill health for some time and was despondent. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. McElhinney, and a son, Sidney Mohlman, 7218 Westmoreland avenue, University City.

Dr. G. Alfred Lawrence Dies.
By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Dr. G. Alfred Lawrence, well-known neurologist and descendant of a family which came to America in 1635 and later led in the settlement of the Santa Clara Valley in California, died today at Post Graduate Hospital from pneumonia. He was in his sixtieth year. He was a member of the first class to be graduated from Leland Stanford Jr. University. At his retirement from practice two years ago he was known as one of the foremost authorities on the treatment of alcoholics.

FRAUD ALLEGED IN FLORIDA GUARANTY CORPORATION

Four West Palm Beach Business Men Named in Suit for Appointment of Receiver.

By the Associated Press.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Dec. 29.—Four West Palm Beach business men today were made defendants in a suit alleging fraud and asking that a receiver be appointed for the Florida Guaranty Corporation, of which they are officers. They are State Senator Alfred H. Wagg, D. F. Dunkle, president of the Palm Beach Guaranty Co.; J. B. McDonald, West Palm Beach real estate dealer, and Bert Winters, attorney.

The suit was filed in Federal Court at Miami by W. J. Corrow of Coventry, Vt., who alleges the firm owes him more than $3000. Corrow charged that Dunkle was directly and indirectly interested in a large number of corporations with interlocking directorates and that he developed a plan of switching assets from one company to another to manipulate fraudulent disposition of what was equivalent and legally liable to creditors and stockholders of any one corporation.

Dunkle recently was tried and convicted of embezzlement growing out of the misappropriation of funds of a client. He was sentenced to five years in the State prison and his case now is awaiting hearing of an appeal before the State Supreme Court.

FOOD FACTOR IN FIXING SEX RATIO INDICATED BY TESTS

Limiting Feeding of Larvae of Flies Increases Number of Males, Scientist Says.

By the Associated Press.

BERKELEY, Cal., Dec. 29. — Prof. W. B. Hermes, parasitologist and entomologist of the University of California, reported to that institution today that he had succeeded in demonstrating by experiments that the ratio of males to females among certain insects can be determined by the amount of food given them in the larvae state.

Prof. Hermes said that by limiting the feeding period of the larvae of the green bottle fly almost twice as many males as females would be produced while with a plentiude of food he obtained two or three times as many females as males.

Hermes said that in experimenting with one species of mosquito he reached different results. He found that with a limited amount of food he obtained about half as many males as females, while by feeding four times the amount of food he obtained more males than females. The fact remained, however, that in both instances he regulated the ratio of the sexes by changing the amount of food.

Whether the sex of any particular insect had been determined by feeding was not stated in the report.

WAR VETERAN DRY AGENTS WHO FLUNKED MAY BE REINSTATED

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Prohibition agents having military preference, who failed to pass the civil service tests laid down for them some time ago, may be reinstated under an executive order signed by President Coolidge before he left for Sapelo Island, and which was made public today at the Treasury Department.

Under the order, which includes inspectors and investigators, veterans who applied for a second examination may be continued in their jobs or reinstated, if they had been dropped, under temporary appointment by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

The President's action followed a request by Representative Fish (Rep.), New York, chairman of the President's Veterans' Advisory Committee. Fish had been fighting against dismissal of veterans with good records who had failed to pass the first civil service test.

About 5000 persons took a second civil service examination held Dec. 15. Papers of these are now being graded.

Lottie Pickford Faces Charge.
By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 29.—A peace disturbance charge will be filed against Lottie Pickford, motion picture actress, in Municipal Court here Monday, in connection with her Christmas eve party, Investigator A. J. Chotiner of the City Prosecutor's office said today. Police visited the Pickford home twice on complaints of neighbors. They reported after their second visit that Daniel E. Jaeger and Jack Daugherty, former husband of the late Barbara La Mar, had been fighting. Miss Pickford expressed regret, "because both of the boys are good friends of mine." He said one of Miss Pickford's neighbors, a physician, would sign the complaint.

Spurned, Girl Shoots Youth.
By the Associated Press.

NASHVILLE, Ga., Dec. 29.—Della May Bayfield, who said her love had been spurned, today shot and seriously wounded Randall Metts, 21 years old, the object of her affections, and made two attempts to end her own life. Metts was in a hospital tonight with two bullet wounds in his back and she was under arrest. The girl hid in bushes beside the road as Metts and his father went by, then fired. Her mother said the girl, returning home, tried to shoot herself, but was prevented from firing.

Indian Woman Perishes in Fire.
By the Associated Press.

MIAMI, Ok., Dec. 29. — Mrs. Sarah Lewis, 72 years old, a full-blood Seneca Indian, was burned to death in her home near Turkey Ford, 25 miles southeast of here, today. Bert Stanley, a neighbor, went to aid the woman when he saw her home in flames, but was unable to approach the building because of the intense heat.

STRODTMAN NAMES 67 AIDS OF SHERIFF

Eight Women Among Those Appointed as Deputies—42 to Hold Over.

George W. Strodtman, who takes office Tuesday as Sheriff, yesterday announced the selection of 59 men and 8 women as Deputy Sheriffs and office assistants. Forty-two of the 67 are reappointments of deputies serving under Sheriff Schuler, who retired from office a few days ago to become Public Administrator.

Henry C. Schewe of 5726 North Broadway was named as chief deputy. He is a deputy Circuit Clerk, having served in that position for 22 years, and has been in the civil divisions and the Court of Domestic Relations.

Rudolph Bloeser of 5878 Plymouth avenue, named as assistant, held the same position under Strodtman's former administration as Sheriff. Anton P. Klein of 5607A Columbia avenue, named as execution deputy, is a deputy Circuit Clerk, and an attorney.

Oscar Mohrstadt of 3861 Delmar boulevard, chief deputy of the criminal division, is reappointed to the place he has held for eight years. Louis Huber of 5326 North Broadway, deputy in charge of property, also is reappointed. Charles S. Eggeman of 3512 McKean avenue is appointed cashier, the position which he held under George P. Weinbrenner as Sheriff.

Michael Chanitz Jr., Strodtman's chauffeur, is appointed a deputy without pay, to aid the Sheriff in investigation work, and to provide occupation for his spare time. The remaining appointees are:

New appointments—Sam Bellamy, 6428 West Park avenue; Mrs. Frances Bulkley, 6041 Waterman avenue; Harry S. Boyd, 2305 La Salle street; John Becker, 2857 Osceola street; Jefferson Covington, 2654 Lucas avenue; Fred H. Heidecker, 1944A Wyoming street; William Hemple, 4329 Alma avenue; John Jaukosky, 4168 Manchester avenue; Albert Kaysing, 4002 Magnolia avenue; James Lane, 4434 Delmar boulevard; Henry Martin, 5011 Plover avenue; Michael J. O'Hearn, 4317A West Papin street; H. B. Platt, 4537 Fair avenue; Thomas J. Riley, 217 Ferry street; Frances A. Rogers, 4550A Lexington avenue; May Shine, 2810 Rutger street; W. A. Thomas, 1423 Grattan street; Katherine Wyatt, 4408 North Twenty-first street; Ulus L. Watkins, 4346A West Belle place, and Otto Stolzenberg, 1525 Hampton avenue.

Reappointments—James Bresley, 4818 Bulwer avenue; Fred S. Billmeyer, 4705 Michigan avenue; Louis Baumgartner, 6827 Minnesota avenue; Edward Comer, 8421 Vulcan avenue; John Christman, 1727 Marcus avenue; Dan Eulle, 4446 Cote Brilliante avenue; Mike Foglia, 771 Bayard avenue; Julius Goldsmith, 3059 Glasgow place; George Heinzpeter, 2327 Missouri avenue; Frank Hemminghaus, 4824A Anderson avenue; George J. Heineman, 4823 Carter avenue; Herman Loux, 3535 Grace avenue; Paul Moore, 1117 Hamilton avenue; William Murray, 6832 Salzburger avenue; William H. Mohrhaus, 3015 St. Vincent avenue; Walter Mueller, 4180 Farlin avenue; Henry Moehle, 8427A Farlin avenue; Clarence Nauman, 1428 North Eleventh street; Michael Novack, 1824 North Eighteenth street; Herman Nebel, 5428 Gravois avenue; John O'Donnell, 1294 Blackstone avenue; A. J. Pohlman, 5121A Page boulevard; Clarence Pratt, 5917 Wells avenue; Nellie Quick, 6018 Maple avenue; Edward Romacker, 3508 South Jefferson avenue; Eddy Reddy, 4850 Laclede avenue; Mrs. Kathryn Rosebrough, 4555 Newberry terrace; Harry Schulze, 1916 St. Louis avenue; Herman Schworm, 2615 Hickory street; Arthur Stephens, 6016A Virginia avenue; George Stemp, 4148 Penrose street; Ed Valequist, 1911 North Fifteenth street; Joseph Willi, 122 Courtois street; John Walz, 3865A Easton avenue; William Williams, 1705 North Vandeventer avenue; Elizabeth Wooster, 5020A Delmar boulevard; Joe Zieser, 4190A Sidney street; John J. Zumsteg, 1813 Rauschenbach avenue; Josephine Stevens, 5748 Page boulevard, and Irving White, 732 South Sixth street.

MISSOURI JUDGE'S PLAN THAT DIDN'T WIN DURANT PRIZE

Cockrell Proposes Dry Enforcement by Co-ordinating Methods That Prove Successful.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A plan for enforcing the prohibition law by discovering successful enforcement measures now in operation in various parts of the country and having such practices standardized and universally observed was submitted for the W. C. Durant prize by Judge Ewing Cockrell of the Circuit Court at Warrensburg, Mo.

Judge Cockrell's plan, the prize committee announced tonight, advocated a nationwide organization to take note of successful prohibition practice and to spread the knowledge. It would offer to enforcement officials "manuals, etc., containing the methods, practices and principles that have actually proved successful in each department of officials and each kind of organization."

Four Square Miles Burned Over.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Dec. 29.—Nearly 100 men last night fought fires which swept from the woods north of Poplar Bluff into Sciferts Heights, two miles north of the city. An area of about four square miles was burned, but residents prevented loss to their homes and other farm buildings.

WOMAN STOCK SWINDLER SAYS SHE BRIBED EDITOR

Mme. Hanau in Paris Prison Answers His Charge of Money Offer on Her Behalf.

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PARIS, Dec. 29.—From her cell in St. Lazare prison for women, Marthe Hanau, who lost about $25,000,000 of speculators' money, today charged the managing editor of Le Journal with accepting a bribe to cease his attacks on her stock-jobbing companies.

Her charge, issued through her lawyer, Alfred Dominique, was in reply to the statement by Le Journal that an offer of $40,000 cash and $600,000 in stocks had been offered its managing editor, De Marsillac., and administrator, Hamelin, to stop criticism of her enterprises.

Denying these charges, Mme. Hanau said a banker, Nimoun Amard, who was considered her confidential agent, was merely a go-between sent to her by newspapers to collect bribes for silence. Her statement admits giving him large sums.

"Amard presented himself to Mme. Hanau," the statement reads, "in the name and interest of Georges Anquetil, director of La Rumeur and of Director Mouthon of Le Journal. She paid large sums for these two newspaper directors."

The newspaper, Le Soir, commenting on her statement, says Mme. Hanau has already informed the magistrates of various financial arrangements with Le Journal.

"I SEE THOSE I LOVE GO; I AM ALONE," SAYS CLEMENCEAU

War-Time Premier Declares That "Dear Ghosts" of His Friends Visit His Room.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Georges Clemenceau, wartime Premier of France, is conscious of a great loneliness in the evening of his life.

When his sister died recently, friends gathered at his Paris home and one of them asked:

"How many 'official' visits do you receive? How many ministers, how many marshals call on you?"

Clemenceau began in what all thought an evasive way:

"I sleep little; old men sleep little. Often at 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning, I awake. I would be bored in bed, awake, so I get up. I come out here, with difficulty, for sometimes my legs go back on me, and here, in the silence, I talk with the dead—"

"But how many marshals?" insisted his friend.

"It is during those night hours," went on the aged man who so often governed France, "alone with the ghosts, dear ghosts, that I have written my memories of Claude Monet. Ah! There come many of the dead, at night, into this room.

"That is my destiny. I see them go, one after another, those I love, all of them."

Then, facing the one who was so anxious to know who remembered him, he snapped out:

"I am alone, Monsieur, alone."

AGENTS TO REPORT DRINKERS

Will Seek to Have Chicago Cafes Eject Imbibing Guests.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The first of more than 200 prohibition agents recruited from Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin arrived in Chicago today to take part in a program of the prohibition department designed to assure Chicago of a dry New Year's eve.

The agents will visit all the leading clubs, hotels and restaurants. If anyone is seen drinking the agents will report to the management. W. H. Kennedy, Deputy Prohibition Administrator, said, and it will be up to the management to eject the guest if he persists. If the management refuses to co-operate a temporary injunction against his place of business will be sought.

PRUSSIA CAN'T BID FOR JEWELS

Reported Plan to Sell Guelph Treasure Discussed in Diet.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 29. — The reported authorization of the sale of the Guelph Treasure in the United States for $10,000,000 was made a matter for question in behalf of the People's Party in the Prussian Diet today. Premier Braun replied that the State Ministry had looked into the matter, but the financial condition of Prussia did not permit making a bid for the treasure.

The Guelph treasure is a collection of early hand wrought jewels and furniture inherited by Ernst August, former Duke of Brunswick, husband of the only daughter of the former Kaiser, from the Dukes of Cumberland. The former Duke is reported to be hard pressed financially and so to have consented to sale of the collection. For some years it has been in Switzerland.

Plane Search in Canyon Called Off.
By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The airplane search in the Grand Canyon for Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hyde, who have been missing since Dec. 6, has been ordered discontinued by Major-General John L. Hines, commander of the Ninth Army Corps area. "The extreme hazard to army flyers from air currents in the canyon and the remote possibility of success," were the reasons given for ordering the search discontinued.

Boy's Shot Wounds Seven Men.
By the Associated Press.

SUGGSVILLE, Ala., Dec. 29.—Seven Negro employes of the Hemphill Co., a lumber concern, were injured, some seriously, at their camp today when the 6-year-old son of J. M. Rhoades, secretary and treasurer of the company, fired a shotgun into a line of men that had formed before the pay clerk's window. The boy, toying with the loaded weapon, was said to have unknowingly pulled the trigger. He was uninjured.

PLANS BIG PARADE, AIR CIRCUS FOR HOOVER INAUGURAL

Gen. Stephan, Committee Chairman, Proposes to Have 20,000 in Four-Mile Column of Marchers.

WANTS 'LOS ANGELES' TO FLY OVER ROUTE

Four Days of Festivities—Program Calls for Day and Night Show by Army and Navy Planes.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A parade four miles long, requiring two hours to pass and composed of 20,000 persons, is the ceremony proposed to accompany the inauguration of Herbert Hoover on March 4.

The inaugural parade details announced today by Major-General Anton Stephan, chairman of the parade committee, disclosed that the Navy Department has been asked to lend the dirigible Los Angeles to lead the air circus that is to accompany the street parade. Navy officials said that it would be entirely practicable to have the big airship follow the parade from the Capitol to the White House, because here the commander could time her arrival over any designated point within 10 seconds. The plan is to have the day and night flying by air detachments from the army and navy on the day of the parade.

Five hundred, it is estimated, will man the State floats that will take part and 6000 marchers, one person to each 20,000 population, will represent the country's marching clubs.

Gen. John A. Johnson of the American Red Cross has been named chairman of the medical aid and emergency committee and is now organizing his committee workers, mostly volunteer doctors and nurses who will treat any casualties during the four-day celebration.

CALLS ON TEACHERS WHO GOT POWER TRUST PAY TO EXPLAIN

American Political Science Association Declares Such Members Must Clear Selves.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—University and college professors, whose names were brought before the Federal Trade Commission as recipients of fees and retainers from the power lobby for lectures, papers and other public activities against the Boulder Dam project, must purge themselves of the charges. Failing to clear their own name or to take action to do so, the American Political Science Association, meeting here today, declared, action should be started to force the professors to do so.

During the Federal trade hearings in Washington last April, according to association members, considerable evidence was brought forth to show that the power lobby, both in Washington and in States, spent large sums to induce educators, for a fee, to spread propaganda against the dam, and to induce papers, magazines and other publications which might be induced to accept subsidy, to follow a similar course.

A resolution introduced before the Political Science Association and unanimously passed without comment called on the American Association of University Professors to conduct a searching inquiry.

INVESTIGATION TO BE MADE IN EDWARDS POISON CASES

New Prosecutor Says He Will Likely Arrange Post-Mortems of Two Victims.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Dec. 29.—No further investigation will be conducted by Prosecuting Attorney Byron Kearby into the alleged poison case in which Mrs. Nora Edwards, 27 years old, is held under bond, during his term of office, he said today.

He will retire from office Monday and turn the affairs over to O. A. Tedrick, who said today he would conduct an immediate investigation when he assumes office, and would likely arrange to have a post-mortem of Forrest Edwards, 15, stepson of the woman, and A. X. Harris, her second husband. Harris died last January and the boy died in August.

A Coroner's jury will be summoned immediately after arrival of a pathologist from St. Louis who will conduct the post-mortem.

Mrs. Edwards was at liberty today under $2000 bond on charges of administering poison to her third husband, James W. Edwards, who is in a critical condition in a St. Louis hospital.

Woman for Cabinet Suggested.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Alvin T. Hert, of Kentucky, vice chairman of the Republican National Committee, will be suggested to the President-elect as a member of his cabinet, Dr. Herbert Work, Republican National Chairman and manager of the Hoover campaign is reported to favor Mrs. Hert's appointment.

$1293 HOLDUP IN FORISTELL, MO., BANK

Ninth Robbery of the Kind in Vicinity of St. Louis in Year.

A robber, described as well-dressed and wearing yellow sun glasses, obtained $1293 in a holdup at the Bank of Foristell, at Foristell, Mo., and escaped in an automobile yesterday. Foristell is 15 miles west of St. Charles on State Highway No. 40.

Entering the bank at 8:20 o'clock the robber asked Curtis Cannon, assistant cashier, who was alone, to change a $10 bill. As Cannon handed him the change the man drew a revolver and forced Cannon to take $1293 in currency, gold and silver from the vault and place it in a coin sack. Taking the sack, the robber ran to a curtained roadster, parked near the bank, and escaped in the direction of St. Charles. The money was insured.

The holdup was the ninth bank robbery in territory surrounding St. Louis this year, and the sixth this month. There were no bank robberies within the city limits during the year. Loot approximating $80,000 was obtained in the nine holdups, the largest amount being $31,342, which was taken at the Wellston Trust Co., in Wellston, by robbers on Feb. 24.

Other outlying banks robbed and the amounts taken were: Old Orchard State Bank, Old Orchard, $3000, Feb. 29; West End Bank, 6500 Delmar boulevard, University City, $25,000, July 11; Bank of Manchester at Manchester, Mo., $3000, Dec. 3 and $6224 Dec. 27; Midland Savings Trust Co., 6125 Page boulevard, Wellston, $3120, Dec. 4; Bank of Bourbon, Mo., $2000, Dec. 15; Crystal City (Mo.) Bank, $5200, Dec. 22.

The robbers participating in the holdups at the West End Bank, Old Orchard State Bank and Midland Savings Trust Co., were caught.

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U. S. ATTORNEY NOT ON TRAIL OF HOLIDAY DRINKERS

Won't Prosecute Where Liquor Is Found on Tables Unless Circumstances Are Unusual.

Following the ninth "annual warning" — issued this year by Prohibition Administrator Haley — of dire results likely to follow public indulgence in liquor during New Year celebrations, United States Attorney Breuer told a Post-Dispatch reporter that he would not prosecute persons detected at tables with alcoholic beverages, unless the circumstances were so unusual as to make the case likely to stand up in court.

"It is not the policy of the Government to prosecute persons caught drinking a highball or a glass of wine, especially where the facts are such that a conviction would be impossible," said District Attorney Breuer, who preceded Haley as Prohibition Administrator.

"In such cases it has been the general policy of the Government not to issue warrants, except in isolated districts where enforcement of the law has fallen into the hands of fanatics.

"The law, as I understand it, is aimed at stamping out the evil at the source and breaking up the commercial traffic in booze. My office will issue warrants against only such persons as we have reason to believe are engaged in the liquor traffic in some manner or other."

Possession Hard to Prove.

The difficulty of proving possession of liquor where several persons are seated at a table has been a stumbling block to prohibition agents who in past years made arrests in cafes. A review of records in the Federal Court here shows that not a single such case has been taken before a jury. Only in cases where defendants elected to plead guilty of possession has the Government been able or even attempted to exact a penalty.

One of the most recent and most widely quoted court decisions on the subject of possession of liquor is the case of the United States vs. Colbaugh, in which the United States Circuit Court of Appeals held that Fate Colbaugh, an Oklahoman, had been wrongly found guilty of possession of liquor in an Indian country and reversed a two-year penitentiary sentence.

The Court's opinion, written by District Judge Faris of St. Louis, sitting as a member of the appellate court, set forth that Colbaugh and another man were arrested in a building, just as the other man was in the act of breaking a bottle of whisky.

Judge Faris, for the court, pointed out that "possession of liquor, as of other instruments and fruits of crime, involves knowledge, dominion and control, with plenary power of disposal."

The Court held that those elements were not proved present in the Colbaugh case. Continuing, the Court held that even if Colbaugh had taken a drink from the bottle, the fact would not show that he was in possession of the liquor within the meaning of the law, since it was not shown that he had "dominion, control and plenary power of disposal" over it.

Went Six Miles for Drink.

Colbaugh and his co-defendant had testified that they had driven six miles to the place where they were arrested, to take a drink from a bottle hidden there. The Government showed that the radiator of their automobile was coll and contended no one would drive six miles for a drink.

"There is no evidence, expert or otherwise, on this insistance, however," Judge Faris wrote, "and it is not one of which judicial n may be taken."

In past years it has been virtually impossible for prohibition agents definitely to show that a specific person at a table was the legal possessor of a specific container of liquor. It is only when the real possessor makes admission of the fact, that a case can be made against him.

It is true, however, that agents may arrest persons four at a table with liquor. In such a case the prisoner would remain in jail until he could give bond before a United States Commissioner, which in this instance probably will be the day after New Year's. F such arrests, even where no prosecution results, there is no redress, since prohibition agents are not under bond.

At Hotels and Churches.

For the New Year's Eve celebration cover charges range from $10, at the Jefferson, Coronado and Chase hotels, down to $6 at the Forest Park, American and Claridge, with the celebration at the Statler at $8 the cover. Clubs and cafes also will have public celebrations.

In many churches watch parties, at which there will be programs and prayer, will be held, and on New Year's day services will be held at virtually all the churches.

Policemen have been ordered to work ten hours on New Year's Eve. The platoon going on duty at 7 a. m. and 3 p. m. will work two hours longer than usual and the 11 p. m. platoon will report at 9 p. m., so that double the usual number of men will be available between 9 p. m. and 1 a. m. at the height of the celebration.

GILBERT M. CHAPMAN LEFT ESTATE OF $81,855

Inventory Lists $63,000 of Stock in Arizona Corporation and 33 Shares of Cleaning Firm.

Gilbert M. Chapman, former president of the Chapman Bros. Cleaning and Dyeing Co., left an estate valued at $81,855, as shown by an inventory filed in Probate Court yesterday. Most of the estate consists of corporation stock, $63,000 of which is in the Flora Investment Co., an Arizona corporation, and 33 shares in the cleaning and dyeing business.

In his will, Mr. Chapman left his property in trust of his wife, Mrs. Flora Chapman, and the St. Louis Union Trust Co., directing that Mrs. Chapman shall receive one-tenth of the income and that the remainder be divided equally among two daughters, Alice B. and Gladys M. Chapman, and a son, Gilbert S. He explained that he left the bulk of the income to his children because he had otherwise provided for his wife with the proceeds of life insurance, the amount of which was not shown in the inventory.

Chapman's body was found in the Arizona Canal, near Phoenix, July 20, last. He had gone to Arizona expecting to find relief from an ailment with which he had been suffering. His home was at 5422 Bartmer avenue.

SOUTH SIDE NATIONAL OPENS

The new South Side National Bank and the 10-story building in which it is housed at Grand boulevard and Gravois avenue were dedicated at a private opening for bankers, city officials and stockholders yesterday afternoon. Mayor Miller officiated, cutting a ribbon which was stretched across a stairway leading to the banking quarters on the second floor.

The bank, which represents a merger of the South Side Trust Co. and the Farmers' & Merchants' Trust Co., will be opened for business Wednesday and a public opening observance will be held the following Saturday.

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OPPOSITION TO GARBAGE DOCK

South Side Meeting Denounces Meramec Street Project.

A resolution protesting against a proposed municipal garbage dock at the foot of Meramec street was framed at a meeting Friday night of merchants and residents of the vicinity. The meeting was held in Triangle Hall, 4100 South Broadway. The South Side Community Protest Association was organized. The resolution will be presented Thursday night at a public hearing before the Public Utilities Committee of the Board of Aldermen which has under consideration a bill authorizing the garbage project.

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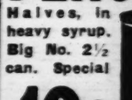
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Designs for Two Residences; One Sold



Residence for Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murphy in Carrswold. Architects, Maritz & Young.



Residence of Gale E. Henderson, architect, on McKnight road between Clayton and Ladue roads, in Dromara subdivision, purchased by Carl F. Setz through Albert T. Terry & Co.

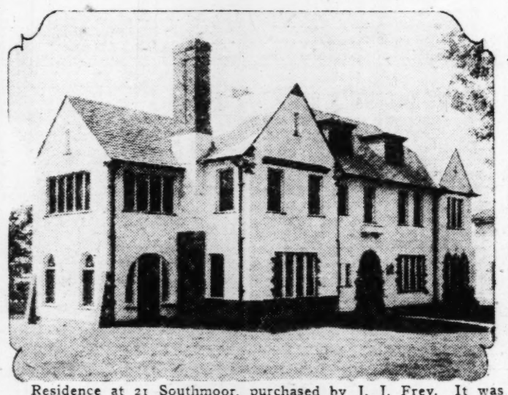
OLD CENTRAL STATES LIFE BUILDING SOLD

Structure at 3207 Washington Bought by Mississippi Valley Life Insurance Co.

Bixby-Smith, Inc., yesterday announced the sale of the Spanish Mission type building at 3207 Washington boulevard, formerly the home office of the Central States Life Insurance Co., to the Mississippi Valley Life Insurance Co., through its president, C. D. De Buchananne. The consideration was reported to be nearly $500,000. Bixby-Smith, Inc., acquired the property in a deal with the Central States company in 1927.

It is understood that the Mississippi Valley Life Insurance Co. has acquired the building for its home office and to take care of an expansion resulting from the purchase of several other insurance companies, an amalgamation which is expected to increase the amount of its insurance in force to $50,000,000. Officers of the company are J. D. De Buchananne, president; Paul I. Temple, vice president and secretary; H. H. Ferguson, vice president; J. V. Sees, vice president; T. J. Hoolan, vice president and general counsel, and George D. De Buchananne, treasurer and agency director. The company has assets of $2,000,000 and has at present more than $15,000,000 insurance in force.

The building, with its ornate exterior and adjoining Spanish lawn and gardens and its marbled and tiled interior, is one of the most picturesque business structures in St. Louis.



Residence at 21 Southmoor, purchased by J. J. Frey. It was owned by Ferdinand P. Meyer. The George F. Bergfeld Co. handled the transaction.

J. J. FREY BUYS 21 SOUTHMOOR FROM FERDINAND P. MEYER

The George F. Bergfeld Co., Inc., reports the sale of 21 Southmoor to J. J. Frey, vice president of the Liberty Central Trust Co.

The residence is a two and one-half story stucco of English type, contains a large living room, sunroom, dining room, breakfast room, kitchen, pantries, maids' room and bath on the first floor, five large bedrooms and two tiled baths and sleeping porch on the second floor.

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The Elsperman & Leonhardt Realty Co. has sold for the Warsaw Realty Co. to Frank J. Wiget a 12½-acre tract of industrial property fronting on the south side of Bingham avenue beginning about 300 feet east of Ray avenue on the Oak Hill branch of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

Large industrial developments have taken place in this vicinity in recent years. Adjoining this tract on the east the Westinghouse Co. in the last three years has built a large plant spreading over 14 acres, and on the north side of Bingham, west of the tract, the Schleicher Paper Box Co. expects soon to erect a modern manufacturing plant. At Gravois and Bingham the National Candy Co. is completing its $1,000,000 manufacturing plant.

Wiget until recently was president and part owner of the Farmers & Merchants Trust Co., now merged into the South Side National Bank.

Wiget recently purchased the northeast corner of Grand and Miami streets, now being altered for occupancy by a Kresge store under a long lease. He is also interested in the wedge-shaped northeast corner of Grand and Gravois, which was acquired some years ago and is now occupied by lunch rooms, filling station and flats.

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NEW BUILDING VOLUME LIKELY TO STAY STABLE

Little Change in Volume of Construction in Last Four Years, F. W. Dodge Officer Says.

By THOMAS S. HOLDEN,
Vice President F. W. Dodge Corporation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—In the United States construction volume is a measure of the rate of investment of savings and other capital accumulations in what we are pleased to call permanent improvements. Shelter requirements for an increasing population, growth requirements of commerce and industry, new requirements of new economic and social activities—all produce demand for increased construction. In this country the normal trend of construction activity is likely to be upward so long as our population and wealth increase and our people develop new activities that require new kinds of structures.

We have just had four years of peculiarly abnormal construction activity, abnormal in the sense that it has been stable, not increasing. Between 1921 and 1925 our annual construction expenditures increased two and a quarter fold. Since 1925 they have remained very nearly the same, the lowest recent year having had a total within 4 per cent of the highest year. The lowest year was 1927, in which there was a real recession in building activity. Residential building had its peak in 1925; non-residential building had its peak in 1926; civil engineering construction, which has steadily increased, reached a peak in 1928.

Public Works Decrease.

Residential building expenditures have averaged around $2,900,000,000 during the past four years; non-residential building has averaged around $2,700,000,000. These figures represent new building projects amounting to $5000 or more each. Engineering work of the public works and utilities class increased steadily from $994,000,000 in 1925 to $1,438,000,000 in 1928. The growth of this latter class of work (which includes highways, sewers, bridges and similar projects) has accounted for the entire growth of construction activity during the past four years, as represented by the following approximate annual totals:

1925...a little more than $6,600,000,000
1926.....just about 6,900,000,000
1927...a little under 6,800,000,000
1928.....very nearly 7,100,000,000

One result of this stabilization of building volume has been to focus the attention of national building-field sales organizations on the market comprised in the multitude of small new building and alteration projects under the $5000 minimum valuation reported in the building contract records. These projects would include small houses, private garages, filling stations, farm building, and remodeling and alteration work. The total volume of this work is indeterminate, but a reasonable guess is something averaging around $1,000,000,000 for small new buildings and an average near $800,000,000 for remodeling and alteration work. Since building permit records include practically all of this low-cost work that is done in the cities, the trend of this class of work is fairly well represented in the statistics of building permits, which have shown a steady decline since 1925. Declines in small work

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ST. LOUIS BUILDING SHOWS INCREASE BY 1928 REPORT

Larger Amount Involved in Permits for New Structures, but Smaller Total on Alterations.

Building activities in St. Louis for 1928 show a total well in excess of those for 1927, as shown by official figures cited in the annual report of Clarence C. Lang, secretary of the Real Estate Exchange to the directors.

Lang's figures for building permits, which show only the first 11 months for 1928, were supplemented yesterday by figures from the City Building Department, which are complete up to yesterday, and thus lack only two business days of covering the year 1928.

The number of permits issued for new buildings in 1928, to and including Friday, Dec. 28, was 7865, and the total amount of work covered by them was $38,178,904. In comparison, 7473 permits for new buildings were issued in the entire year of 1927, and the amount of work was $35,066,145.

Smaller Totals of Alterations.

In alterations, the 1928 figures are below those of 1927, because of the large amount of alteration work done in the latter part of 1927, following the tornado in September of that year. The alteration permits for 1928, to and including Dec. 28, numbered 4742, and the amount of work was $4,592,900. For 1927, 6234 permits were issued, covering $7,008,537 of alteration work.

The total cost of new buildings and alterations for 1928 (except two days) was $42,771,864; for 1927, $42,074,682; and for 1926, $39,841,564.

Lang's report shows also the number of real estate transfers, deeds of trust and foreclosure sales in St. Louis and St. Louis County.

In 1928, to and including Dec. 26, the real estate transfers number 19,674 in the city, as compared with 18,897 for the corresponding period of 1927. In St. Louis County, there were 15,111 transfers for the period of 1928 named, and 14,042 for the same period of 1927. The prices paid in real estate transfers do not appear in the record, nominal considerations being shown.

October the Busiest Month.

The most active month of 1928 in real estate transfers, in the city, was October, with 1906 transfers, and the largest month in the county was April, with 1416 transfers, while October had 1415.

Deeds of trust (mortgages) executed on real property in the city in 1928, to and including Dec. 26, numbered 24,832, at a valuation of $238,517,260.05, compared with 22,879 at $167,050,817.93 for the same period of 1927. In the county, for the same periods, there were 15,761 deeds for $432,928,281.41 in 1928, and 13,709 deeds for $53,293,537.13 in 1927.

The largest month's figure in the city, for extending deeds of trust, was $91,698,268.23 for April, no other month reaching as high as $17,000,000. In the county there were two big months, October with $266,827,180.38, and April with $115,440,717.37. The other months ranged from $3,000,000 to $10,000,000.

22,578 Mortgages Released.

The next comparison is in deeds of trust released. The releases in St. Louis for 1928 to and including Dec. 26, numbered 22,578, totaling $87,070,738.38, compared with 20,774 releases, at a total of $85,596,989.71 for the same period of 1927. The releases were evenly distributed through the year, the monthly amounts ranging from $6,000,000 to $8,500,000. County releases of deeds of trust were 12,430, at a total consideration of $30,817,458.46 in 1928, and 11,391, at $26,262,331.43 in 1927. The monthly figures run from $1,500,000 to nearly $3,000,000.

Foreclosure sales in St. Louis for 1928, to and including Dec. 26, numbered 711, at a total consideration of $2,442,392.29, as compared with 598, at $1,902,129.58 for the same period of 1927. May was the heavy month in foreclosures, with $382,126.92. Foreclosure sales in the county, for the same periods, were 569 at $1,162,540.82 for 1928, and 516 at $1,073,944.58 for 1927. November was the heaviest month, with $299,319.62 of foreclosures.

Exchange Has 386 Members.

Secretary Lang, in his report, says there are 386 active members and 668 affiliated members of the Real Estate Exchange. Active members are individuals and firms engaged directly in the real estate business. Affiliated members are individuals and firms in various lines of business, largely holders of extensive realty interests.

The exchange's Arbitration Committee, the secretary reports, functioned in 11 cases in 1928, and all were promptly settled. Charles J. Daly, president-elect of the exchange, was chairman of this committee.

Four hearings were held on charges of breaches of ethics. Two of these resulted in the expulsion of the agents involved from active membership in the exchange, and in two other cases fines were inflicted, and claims adjusted, with the discharge of offending salesmen. The exchange receives complaints against concerns which are nonmembers, but in such cases can only give advice.

Active in Education Work.

The exchange's educational program, conducted through the downtown Y. M. C. A., is mentioned as a very active branch of work. The exchange's work in upholding neighborhood restrictions also is noted. The exchange is represented on municipal and civic commissions and committees generally and two members of the exchange are members of the Board of Aldermen.

Resolutions have been adopted by the exchange's directors, during the year, in the following matters:

Condemning "free rent" rebates, except when duly noted on leases; opposing a parole sought by Edward W. Grant; favoring location of the Negro Hospital adjoining the main City Hospital; favoring a Negro playground east of Grand boulevard; opposing the "free lot" scheme of selling realty; urging a larger Federal building appropriation; favoring increased facilities for the St. Louis Electric Terminal Railway; supporting the State road bonds; urging better air mail service and establishment of new routes; supporting the airport bonds; indorsing rapid transit measures, and opposing the "Prospect avenue" by-pass plan west of Grand boulevard, favoring instead the widening of Spring avenue.

RESTAURANT COMPANY TAKES 20-YEAR-LEASE

Forum Cafeterias of America, Inc. to Open About April.

The Forum Cafeterias of America, Inc., with headquarters in Kansas City, Mo., where it operates three cafeterias and two restaurants, has just taken a 20-year lease on 307-9-11 North Seventh street, part of the first floor and basement space of the Central National Bank Building.

The storeroom is 52 feet by 125 feet in area on the first floor and basement, with a high ceiling on the first floor, to permit the installation of a mezzanine floor, which is a requirement of the Forum Cafeterias.

The rental to be paid during the term of the 20-year lease totals $712,500.

About $200,000 will be spent in remodeling and equipping the St. Louis quarters, which it is expected will be open for business about April 1.

C. M. Hayman is president of Forum Cafeterias and C. T. Templin, secretary. R. F. Moseley, president of the Moseley-Comstock Realty Co., Inc., is their agent. Martin & Breitt represented the Forum company and the Moseley-Comstock Realty Co. in handling the local lease and J. H. Farish & Co. represented the owner.

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DOUBTS NEED OF MORE OFFICE BUILDINGS NOW

President of National Association Says Present Space Adequate for Three Years.

By PAUL ROBERTSON,
President of the National Association of Building Owners and Managers.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Never before has the business of the nation been so adequately housed. The past few years have witnessed a boom in the construction of office buildings that is unprecedented in any period in the history of the nation. More fine buildings have been added to the list of notable structures in the United States with the result that America today finds itself amply provided for in office space requirements.

We are entering the new year with an available surplus of office space that is sufficient to care for the needs of an expanding business in the nation for a period of at least three years. The percentage of vacancy is, however, little more than the normal 10 per cent which is estimated by every successful building owner and manager as normal.

Due to the high cost of building operations, there can be no expectancy of lowering of rental rates. In fact the contrary is more likely since tenants moving from the older to the most modern buildings expect and are willing to pay more for their space.

Fortunately there is an ever-growing realization among the business establishments of the nation that efficiency of employes, which is demanded today, can come only through the provision of adequate floor area to insure elimination of noise and proper working quarters. This, in no small measure, has been accountable for the absorption of much of the new space that has come on the market.

There is likewise a new train of thought regarding the construction of office buildings. Owners are no longer content to put up buildings according to specifications and later to discover that various modifications would have enhanced the rentability of the space and perhaps the rental area; that such changes would likewise permit a closer approach to 100 per cent efficiency in the operation of buildings. For that reason, the National Association of Building owners and Managers has been called on frequently by the owners of projected developments to furnish through the Building Planning Service advice on plans for the new projects. This anticipation of the problems of management is going far toward the production of a new type of building that is susceptible to the principles of efficient management.

There will be no unstabilizing influence caused by new buildings coming onto the market during the next six months. There are, however, danger signals flying for those who expect to add to the office floor areas in the months that follow, since they will find that their additions will bring the occupied floor area below the normal, in most cities, thereby bringing into play the inexorable law of supply and demand which may result in a disastrous effort on those holding large floor areas which are unrented. The cost of the production of office space is so high that rental rates cannot fall below the rates prevailing in most cities of the United States without a serious financial loss to those owning and operating buildings in which cheap rents prevail.

Those who are contemplating the construction of new buildings will do well to study the needs of the city; the space already available and the rate of absorption of that space.

I do not look forward to any serious recession in the amount of building. There are enough projects already on the architects' boards to insure a fairly active building year in the office building line. A $4,000,000,000 building year (including all classes of buildings) may be assumed as normal, of which one-eighth of the building construction will be in the production of office buildings.

Therefore, it is my confident expectation that 1929 will find the building industry almost as active as in the past few years and that the normal expansion of business will take up much of the new space at rates that are comparable with those which are at present prevailing.

14 ELECTED MEMBERS OF REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE

The board of directors of the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange, at its meeting last Thursday, elected the following 14 applicants to affiliated membership: Buck's Stove & Range Co., Arcade Building; J. V. Fischer, druggist, 3157 Park avenue; Holekamp Lumber Co., Old Orchard and Frisco Railroad tracks; Ideal Liquid Heat Sales Corporation, 2825 Washington avenue; Lammert Furniture Co., 911 Washington avenue; August G. Maass Plumbing Co., 2824 Cherokee street; Charles A. Murray, brick contractor, 4735 Alma avenue; Albert Schatz, restaurant owner, Wainwright building; Schroeter Coal Co., 2200 Miami street; S. Seidel Coal & Coke Co., 3915 Duncan avenue; G. William Senn, Associate City Counsellor, 412 City Hall; Theiling-Lothman Manufacturing Co., Ninth and Bremen avenue, sashs, doors and millwork; Twelfth Street National Bank, Twelfth and Choteau avenue, and Harry C. Vollmar, builder, 4105 Simpson avenue.

MULLIN-WALTERS CO. HAS ACTIVE WEEK IN LEASES

The Belle Hickey Fixture C. has leased the first floor and basement of the building at 1128 Washington avenue for a showroom, office and stockroom. The officers of the fixture company are Samuel Rosenheim, president, and E. C. Appleman, secretary. The lessor is the Pickerill Rubber Co. The Mullin-Walters Realty Co. handled the negotiations.

Leo Epstein & Co. has leased the entire seventh floor of th building at 1129 Washington avenue, where they will be located on and after Jan. 2, 1929. This floor will give them double the space they are now occupying in the building at 1517 Washington avenue. The lessor is the Lindell Real Estate Co., represented by the Mullin-Walters Realty Co.

Oscar H. Quillman has leased space on the sixth floor of the building at 1324 Washington avenue for offices, stockroom and salesroom. Mullin-Walters made the lease for the Rose Realty Co., owners of the property, by the Mullin-Walters Realty Co.

John O'Toole has leased the two stores at 318 North Sixth street for a sandwich shop. The Mullin-Walters Co. made the lease.

P. W. Judah Hat Co. has leased the entire third floor in the building at 1312 Washington avenue to be used as millinery stockroom, salesroom and office.

A. Wasserman & Co., dealers in a general line of dry goods, have leased the lobby store in the building at 1307 Washington avenue. This store was formerly occupied by Pollak & Co. of New York who have recently taken larger quarters in the same building on the second floor. Wasserman & Co. will use this store as office, stockroom and sample room.

All parties in the above mentioned transactions were represented by the Mullin-Walters Realty Co.

HEMMELMANN-SPACKLER CO. REPORTS RECENT DEALS

The Hemmelmann-Spackler Real Estate Co. reports the following sales:

Single flat at 2512 California avenue, to Frank Linnemeyer, for the Le Master estate; two-story, new, English type residence at 332 Baker avenue, Webster Groves, to E. B. Wheatley, for Monroe Stafford; single flat at 3411-13 St. Vincent avenue, to Stanley Zak, for Mrs. Evraiff; residence at 3825 Flora boulevard, to John A. Burns, for account of C. W. Goetz. Burns was represented by Hugh Stewart.

Residence at 7217 Cornell avenue, to C. W. Goetz, for John Alt; bungalow at 4562 Durant street, to James W. Word, for J. A. Jones; two-story brick residence at 4057 Flad avenue, to Mrs. Joseph Brockmeier, for E. W. Schadek; residence at 3128 Hawthorne boulevard, to A. G. Bauer, for a client of the office; residence at 2421 South Eighteenth street, to Mrs. Lena Bueher; bungalow at 4426 Cottage avenue, to Daniel Rollins, for account of Mrs. A. Malone. The purchaser was represented by Young-Shoss Realty Co.

Single flat at 4179 Castleman avenue, to Rae Mathews, for account of Mary Dierkes; two-story brick residence at 3308 Flora boulevard, to L. A. Lange, for L. Hilfer; lot on the northeast corner of Magnolia and Lawrence avenues, to Herman Mayer, for J. C. Higley, purchaser represented by Brinkop Real Estate Co.

DIMMITT-RICKHOFF-BAYER CO. 1928 SALES PASS $1,000,000

The Dimmitt - Rickhoff - Bayer Real Estate Co., Inc., reports having passed this week the $1,000,000 mark in sales since their opening on Feb. 15, 1928. This represents a total of 142 sales of improved real estate, by far the greater number being bungalows, flats and apartments. A resume of these transactions indicates a definite demand for individual dwellings rather than for investment properties. The following sales were completed the past week:

3218 Vista avenue, a 10-family building, sold for H. C. Gerfen to T. W. Breer; 1019 Bates street, a five-five modern flat building, sold for C. B. Wayne to Russell Suppinger; 7057 Tulane avenue, "University Park," a new five-five room single flat, sold for E. O. Klimmich, builder, to Harry J. Hyatt; 5607 Columbia avenue, a single flat, sold for T. W. Breer to H. C. Gerfen; 6234 Reber place, a modern bungalow, sold for Russell Suppinger to C. B. Wayne; 6075 Hartford street, a five-five flat, sold for W. J. Flesh to Howard Moore; 7305 Zephyr place, a lot 375x156 feet, sold to the Home Realty and Building Co., for Devin Powers; 2316 Sulphur avenue, a new five-room matt brick bungalow, sold for Howard S. Moore to Wm. J. Flesh.

ALBERT T. TERRY CO. SELLS RESIDENCE IN DROMARA ROAD

Albert T. Terry & Co. has sold the residence of Gale E. Henderson, architect, in Dromara road, a subdivision on the McKnight road, between Clayton and Ladue roads, to Carl F. Setz.

The house is a two-story Georgian type, and contains a large living room which is paneled in pine, dining room, breakfast room and kitchen on the first floor, four sleeping rooms, maid's room and three baths, also sleeping porch, on the second floor. There also is a garage for two cars.

Henderson is planning the erection of another home in Dromara Road.

BIG YEAR REPORTED FOR BUSINESS LEASES

Martin & Breitt Declare 1928 Most Successful in Their History.

The Martin & Breitt Real Estate Co. report that the present year is the most successful of their history and that the leasing condition on business and industrial properties in St. Louis for the past year has been excellent.

Properties in the retail district show a marked improvement over any prior year, and the rentals paid on leases by new companies entering St. Louis during the past year on retail properties in the congested area aggregates $350,000 per annum.

A few of the most prominent companies to enter the city are Hauger Stores Co., retailers of men's clothing, who have leased two stores, one at 815 North Broadway and the other at 819 Washington avenue; the Scholl Manufacturing Co., retailers of orthopedic shoes and shoe findings, who have leased the store at 503 North Sixth street; Edison Bros. Shoe Co., who have leased the store at 507 North Sixth street; the Baltimore Shirt Co., who have taken three stores in this city, two of which were leased through Martin & Breitt; the Forum Cafeteria of America, Inc., who have leased the store at 307-9-11 North Seventh street; Neisner Bros. Store, who have leased the five-story and basement building at Sixth and Washington avenue; the Fox Theater at Grand and Washington avenues; the Walgreen Co., who took the four-story building at Tenth and Olive streets, the store and basement at Eighth and Washington avenue, and the store at Seventh and Locust streets; Trivers Clothing Co., who occupy the store at 711 Olive street; Morelye Clothing Co., who have leased the five-story and basement building at 608 Olive street; Lerners' Ready-to-Wear, who have leased a store on Fifth street, and Sears-Roebuck & Co. who have acquired two locations in the city.

All of the above-mentioned leases were negotiated by the Martin & Breitt Co., with the exception of the last four mentioned.

Martin & Breitt also have negotiations pending with several large retail and wholesale concerns who are desirous of entering St. Louis during the coming year.

Several notable expansions have taken place during the last year, such as Famous & Barr Co., who have acquired four additional floors of the Railway Exchange Building, and the Boyd, Richardson Clothing Co., who have leased, through Martin & Breitt, the six-story and basement building at the southwest corner of Sixth and Olive streets.

It is the forecast of the Martin & Breitt Co. that the year 1929 promises to be greater than last year, owing to the many inquiries which they are receiving from retailers, chain stores, wholesalers and jobbers who are desirous of locating in St. Louis.

ELDORADO DEVELOPER GIVES CHRISTMAS PARTY

William L. Heckmann, developer of the Eldorado subdivisions in North St. Louis, played host to some 1500 children and adults at a Christmas day festival of the Eldorado communities.

The scene was the lot of the Heckmann's field office on Larrimore road, north of Baden, where a huge Christmas tree was erected. The guests were children from the St. Aloysius Parish School, Bellefontaine Methodist Church Sunday school, lot owners from Eldorados 1, 2 and 3, and other families of the community. Gifts were dispensed by Santa Claus.

Christmas evening members of the Heckmann sales force and their families were guests of Heckmann at a dinner, served in the basement of St. Aloysius School.

Recently Mr. Heckmann announced the purchase of 325 acres of land, contains Spanish Lake, which is about 40 acres in size, located near Trampe lane and Bellefontaine road, in St. Ferdinand Township, in Northern St. Louis County. This tract will be developed during the spring.

SOL LOWENSTEIN REPORTS GLENCOURT BUNGALOW SALES

Sol Loewenstein, exclusive agent for Glencourt, at Lucas and Hunt and North Market street roads, reports the following sales of bungalows:

1700 Glencourt drive to Anna Crane. 1702 Glencourt drive to Lloyd Hennen. 1704 Glencourt to William Crenshaw. 1706 Glencourt to Roy Robinson. 1708 Glencourt to Edwin Grunewald. 1711 Glencourt to Chester Holcomb. 1709 Glencourt to Patrick Gainer. 1707 Glencourt to Thomas Brown. 1705 Glencourt to Guy McCandless. 1703 Glencourt to J. Gillespie. 1701 Glencourt to Louis Gwin. 1629 Glencourt to Joe Hassler. 1727 Glencourt to Arnold Siler. 1625 Glencourt to H. Sackwitz. 1623 Glencourt to J. Eads. 1619 Glencourt to Edward Stratman. 1617 Glencourt to Harold Summers. 1603 Glencourt to H. Willurn. 1602 Glencourt to A. J. Holcomb. 1604 Glencourt to Phillip Van Taalge.

Franciscus Leases House.

The Franciscus Realty Co. announces the leasing of a 14-room home of Mrs. Alex G. Cochrane, 9 Westmoreland place, to Norman R. Moray, president of the Southern Surety Co., who has moved from New York and was represented by Cornet & Ziehtg.

NEW BUILDING VOLUME LIKELY TO STAY STABLE

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have tended to equalize still further the building volume of the country. If reasonable guesses as to the total amounts of small work be added to the totals given above, the following estimate for the entire building and engineering expenditures of the country are obtained, including small new buildings, remodeling and alteration projects:

1925	$3,582,000,000
1926	$3,760,000,000
1927	$3,628,000,000
1928	$3,724,000,000

Emphasizing Quality.

Along with stabilized volume there have been tendencies toward stabilized building conditions. Speculative work has, to some considerable extent, given way to investment building and building by individual owners for their own occupancy and use. There has been a growing emphasis on quality in design and construction. While the supply of building space has at some times and in certain localities run ahead of demand, there has been an increasing tendency to study carefully the building requirements of given sites before launching projects.

In parts of the Central West there has grown up a vigorous home-modernizing movement, backed by some of the largest interests in the building industry; this movement has as its objective the modernizing of houses eight to 10 or more years old which have suffered in competition with the improved houses of later construction. Success in this movement would tend to stabilize realty values in communities or neighborhoods where values have been declining.

Behind the construction activity we have seen there has been a tendency toward stabilization of construction financing. The establishment by the New York Real Estate Board of an exchange for dealing in real estate securities is one measure of improvement that ought to add greatly in stabilizing the financing of large buildings; successful operation of this new exchange is likely to encourage the establishment of similar ones in other large centers of real estate and construction activity.

Financing Small Projects.

Certain financial organizations have been studying carefully the problems of first and second mortgage financing for small projects, with the object of inaugurating simplified and economical financing plans. The building and loan associations, with continuously increasing assets, are said to be ready to lend on sound home-modernizing projects as well as on new building. The country's savings deposits have continued to increase. Even the general financial markets for stocks and bonds seem to be emerging from the rather chaotic condition that prevailed through most of 1928.

Last year's construction increases over 1927 were rather definitely and accurately forecast in advance by the increased volume of corporate and municipal bond issues that preceded them. If this indication were the only one to be considered the reduced volumes of bond issues in 1928 might be taken as indicating reduced construction activity in 1929. However, the various elements of stability enumerated above may be considered as factors that would resist any considerable decline.

Further, it is possible that bond issues may be a less certain advance indicator of construction volume than before; there has been an increasing tendency to finance construction with issues of stock. It is also to be noted that first mortgage real estate bonds, as distinguished from corporate bond issues, were on the increase in 1928.

Year May Start Slow.

It looks as if the period of stabilized building volume is rather likely to continue well into 1929. There might be a little smaller contract volume than in 1928 in the early months of the new year, with some improvement later in the year. If a new era of building growth is to start, it does not seem likely to gain sufficient headway in 1929 to show large building increases over the year just closed. On the whole, building volume is likely to be measurably close to the average volume of the past four years.

The greatest likelihood of increased construction is in engineering work; power developments, electrification projects, highways and similar public works. The country has not caught up with its requirements in these classes of work and many large projects have been planned that have not yet been started. It seems quite likely that the 1929 expenditures for large engineering projects will be larger than those of any previous year, and that they might carry the construction total (all building and engineering work) beyond previous records.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS BY RENGEL-WEBER REALTY CO.

The Rengel-Weber Realty Co., 3539 South Grand, have made sales close to a million dollars during the year and have made loans close to a half million. Among some of the recent sales are:

2332 Whittemore, 10-room residence, for the account of Herbert J. Blanchard to W. D. Thornton; 4028 Juniata, seven-room residence, for Julius Weitz to George P. Cline; 4457 Dewey, four-room bungalow, for George P. Cline to Julius Weitz; 6550 McCune, five-room bungalow, for a client to Raymond Lynch; 6556 McCune, five-room bungalow, for a client to Frank H. Koenig; 3443 Utah, four-five flat, for Otto Messner to Frank H. Fuerst.

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HARTWIG-DISCHINGER CO. REPORTS ITS BEST YEAR

The Hartwig-Dischinger Realty Co. during 1928 has had its best year since its organization in 1920.

Many sales and loans have been made, such as bond issues in the sum of $427,000 on the following property: The Lindenwood Building, Kingshighway boulevard and Chippewa street; Emzee Building, Pope and West Florissant avenues; the Star Dyeing & Cleaning Co. building, 2515-21 North Grand boulevard; Argyle Realty Co. building, Theodosia avenue and Goodfellow avenue; Argyle Realty Co., building, 5651-53 Cates avenue; Argyle Realty Co., building at Goodfellow and Terry avenue. In addition first deeds of trust were made for three years totaling more than $1,700,000.

FRED KRAUSHAAR TO HEAD FEYDT'S INSURANCE DIVISION

The Julius S. Feydt Jr. Realty Co., 3521 South Grand boulevard, announce the appointment of Fred Kraushaar manager of its insurance department.

Kraushaar has been in the insurance business for five years, with offices in the Pierce Building, and is widely acquainted among South Side residents.

The Feydt company was organized two years ago, and its growth in the insurance department has been very rapid.

HOTELS

ALCAZAR HOTEL, 4577 Locust—Clean, $1 day, weekly rates; 100 baths and shower; garage.

EMPRESS-KIALTO HOTEL, near Grand and Olive—Rooms, $1 and up; weekly rates. Garfield 0500.

UNIVERSITY APARTMENT HOTEL, 4750 Washington—Furnished, $7 to $15 week. Jefferson 7974.

ALBANY HOTEL, 4873 PAGE—Popular priced family hotel; American, European. A home of beauty and comfort. Call Olive 0400.

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Rates from $8 to $16 per week; suites $20 and $25; under personal direction of Chas. Clark, formerly with Chase and Statler Hotels.

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Your patronage solicited. Cedar 4540 (c100)

REDECORATED—REMODELED
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THE HAMILTON HOTEL
Hamilton Av.—Corner of Maple
One Person $12 Weekly
Two $15 to $60
Private Baths No. 1 to Modified
Suites of 2 and 3 rooms $90 to $125 monthly
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APARTMENTS

Central

WARREN APTS., 4112 Page—2 rooms, 4 room efficiency; security and gas included, $60.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

North

PURE AND WEST FLORISSANT—Southwest corner; delightful apartment, facing Amherst, 4 rooms and bath; heat, janitor service; water furnished; reasonable rent. See manager at apartment. (c)

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

North

RED BUD, 4566-4580A—Beautiful 5-6 rooms, tiled baths, sunnery; garage. (c82)

TAYLOR, 3027 N.—Five large rooms, bath, furnace; decorated; $35. (c80)

SAVINGS TRUST CO., Olive 1-8200.

UNIVERSITY, 3123—First floor east, 5 rooms, bath; large rooms; heat furnished.

WILL C. WINSSATH, 2808 N. GRAND.

4414 W. FLORISSANT.
Three-room efficiency, $27.50 rent and electric refrigeration. T. A. CHINBERG, 808 Chestnut. Main 4300.

Northwest

BESSIE, 4305A—Second efficiency; Murphy bed; Kelvinator; rent $35; heat and janitor service.

FRANBERG & JONES, REALTORS.
Evergreen 8260. 2211 N. Union st.

CLARA, 2060—Beautiful new apartment, 3 rooms, sunny, floor; open. (c82)

CLARA, 4-unit—3-room unit; modern; 2 two-door beds; immediate occupancy.

HAMILTON, 2503—Modern 3-room efficiency; heat furnished. Cabany 291 (c)

KINGSHIGHWAY, 4462A N.—3-room flat; garage. (c)

"MANSARD APT."
2911 N. Kingshighway—3-room efficiency; heat and janitor service; second floor; $80.
UNION-SANTUN TRUST CO.,
5959 Easton. Forest 1370.

MARKET, 5805-09—4 and 5-room efficiency flats; refrigeration; janitor service. Parkview 2710.

NATURAL BRIDGE, 4620—4 rooms; tile bath; hardwood floors; $45.

WILSON, 2435—3-room efficiency; Murphy bed; $42.50.

SPALDING, 4071—3-room efficiency; newly furnished; garage.

UNION, 8025—One or 3 rooms; new; wall bed; steam heating; 2 apartments private. Forest 3887.

WABADA, 5156—3-room efficiency; garage; electric refrigerator. (c)

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UNION-SANTUN TRUST CO.,
5959 Easton. Forest 1370.

MARKET, 5805-09—4 and 5-room efficiency flats; refrigeration; janitor service. Parkview 2710.

NATURAL BRIDGE, 4620—4 rooms; tile bath; hardwood floors; $45.

WILSON, 2435—3-room efficiency; Murphy bed; $42.50.

SPALDING, 4071—3-room efficiency; newly furnished; garage.

UNION, 8025—One or 3 rooms; new; wall bed; steam heating; 2 apartments private. Forest 3887.

WABADA, 5156—3-room efficiency; garage; electric refrigerator. (c)

SHENANDOAH, 3427—3-room efficiency; heat and janitor. DARK. Grand 5247.

SHOREY, 3515—3-room efficiency; electric refrigeration; overlooking park. Jos. F. Dickmann R. E. Co., 6350 Chestnut.

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New 4 rooms, most beautiful interior; electric refrigeration and gas stove furnished; basement, screened porch, carpeted stairs; roof garden for tenants only; heat, hot water and janitor service furnished. Manager on premises, 4604A Delmar.

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RENTS REDUCED
Including heat, light, electric refrigeration, gas, janitor service. Suites of 3, 4, 5 and 6 room efficiency; garage if desired.
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CABANE, 4921—3 rooms; garage; electric refrigeration; $75 a month.
J. L. EPSTEIN & SON, 412 Chestnut.

POTOMAC, 4923—4 rooms, garage; new refrigerators; $70 a month.
J. L. EPSTEIN & SON, 412 Chestnut.

HOTEL BROWNSOM

New, modern fireproof apartment; 3 room efficiency; unfurnished; $57.50; or furnished, $75.
Hotel rooms with shower and tub baths; rental by day, week or month.
Spacious lobby, dining room and club room. Yale and Manchester cars. 7100 west.
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4937 Chippewa (half block west of Kingshighway). Beautiful new four-room apartments just being completed. Every apartment has southern exposure and large bright rooms. Electric refrigeration with white porcelain boxes, white enamel sink, garbage incinerators and every other modern convenience. Close to transportation, stores and shops. $65 per month. Garage if desired. Manager on premises.

West

ACADEMY, 1420—Four large rooms; just furnished; refrigerator, janitor, hot water; $50; adults only. Inquire.
SAVINGS TRUST CO., Olive 8740.

ADELAIDE, 520—Cor. Washington; fine rooms and 2 baths; newly decorated; all on No. 1 cooler; $150.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

ADELAIDE, 560—Of Delmar; beautiful apartments; first floor, gas, refrigeration furnished; newly decorated; $90 and $95. Cabany 2690W. (c80)

ADELAIDE, 564—1-6-month convenient; an attractive 3 room efficiency apartment, 2 blocks from school; heat, gas, electric and ice furnished; $60. Parkview 5810W.

AHERNST, 7034 (University City)—Four rooms, bath, garage; $50.
MULLIN-WALTERS REALTY CO.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

West

APARTMENT—4 rooms, bath, heat, hot water and janitor service; $60. Call Forest 3000.

APARTMENT—Newly decorated, 6 rooms, including sun parlor; heat and water furnished; janitor service. Delmar 4258, 4200 Pershing.

BLACKSTONE, 1182—1st floor; 3 rooms, bath; 2 blocks to Forest Park; heat furnished; newly decorated; $40.

BOYLE, 6 N.—2 rooms, bath, in 4 water and heat furnished; janitor; $47.

H. CAMPBELL & CO., 1705 Arcade Bldg.

BUCKINGHAM COURT, 5904 (one block south West Pine, corner Euclid)—Beautiful 5 rooms, sun parlor, sunny, light, plenty of heat; corner unit, to offer; private; big concession; rent cut $5.; bargain.
JOHN A. WATKINS & CO., 7 E. Lockwood.

CABANNE, 5415—Five rooms, bath, heat and janitor service; $70.
W. B. SHELP & CO., City Club Bldg.

CABANNE, 5435—First floor north; 4 rooms, bath; 3 closets; heat furnished; $70.
WILLIAM H. KOCH CO., 5454 Delmar.

CABANNE, 6238—Of four west—Four rooms and sunporch; heat furnished and janitor service. Call
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2 MONTHS FREE

6238 Cabanne; 4 rooms and sun room; newly decorated; modern; janitor service; $60.
GRAND 2401. 4246 Page.

9-Room Apartment, $145

5624 Cabanne, very desirable, attractive apartment; desirable to suit; 3 baths, sunroom, porch, garage.
GILBERT R. F. CO., 800 Chestnut.

5817 CABANNE

Dandy 6-room apartment; 2 regular bedrooms, heat, janitor service, garage, rent reasonable.
PANGBURN, REALTOR.
3260 Delmar. Cabany 1400. (c82)

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Available now; 2809 Goodfellow; living room in Cranex finish; full-size bedroom, kitchenette and breakfast room; tile and refrigerated wood sink; hot water heat, electric refrigeration; bed, ironing, gas heater and clothes closet. Parkview 7210.

See Today Sure

3458 Williams pl. (short block west of Union at Natural Bridge)—Attractive living room with Murphy bed, dining alcove, kitchenette and bath; heat, gas, electric and refrigeration furnished; rent $50; one more small bedroom, $55, and one with 2 full bedrooms, $70; janitor will show. These rents are cheap; see them soon.
BUSH-BURNS. Main 4327 (c60)

5333 CATES—ONLY $70.00

Four large rooms, heat, janitor service, newly decorated; open. Cherokee 5343.
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CHAMBERLAIN, 6026—4 rooms, bath; newly tiled; refrigerator. (c)

CLARA, 6006-015 (Washington Court)—Apartment now available; 3 large rooms, with open porch; excellent condition; refrigeration furnished. See manager on premises. (c90)

HIGH-CLASS APARTMENTS.

5333 Clara; 3 and 4 large rooms; $70 and $75; private; 4 rooms, Murphy bed; 5010 Washington; 4 rooms, sun parlor.
F. W. DIESTELHORST CO., 3856 Delmar.

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Apartments with southern exposure; overlooking beautiful Forest Park. Living room, breakfast room and kitchen in heavy tile; rooms with built-in cabinets and twin beds; electricity, gas, electric refrigeration, radio and automatic clocks are included in rental.

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1012 Claremont—3 rooms, bath, electric, heat and janitor service for only $55.
SHIRLEY REALTY CO., 3130 Chestnut. Chestnut 3808.

CLEMENS, 6021—Six rooms; heat; janitor service furnished; $70. Open

6608 CLEMENS.
Choice 5 rooms and Murphy bed; rent very reasonable. (c)

HOWARD APARTMENTS
3617 CLEMENS AV.

Beautiful, new efficiencies; large living room with Murphy bed, kitchenette, dinette, dressing closet and bath, $55 and up; with extra bedroom, $70; electric, gas, electric refrigeration, steam heat and janitor service furnished. See resident manager or DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 9008 Chestnut. st. Central 0330.

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$57.50 to $70
FOR NEW APARTMENTS
5635 CLEMENS

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DELMAR, 4035—2d floor; 4 rooms, newly decorated; unusual rent.
FRANKLIN REALTY CO., Cent. 1234.

DELMAR, 6004—Six large rooms, heat and janitor service; will decorate.
MULLIN-WALTERS REALTY CO.

Four-room apartment; new building; gas, electricity and electric refrigeration. T. A. CHINBERG, 808 Chestnut. Main 4300.

REDUCED RENTS.

6252A Delmar; 3544A Limit; 3 apartments of 4 rooms each; will decorate to suit tenant; $50 and $55.
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DELMAR, 6334—And 6038 W.—Suite of efficiency apartments; living room, dining room, sunroom, kitchen, with Murphy bed, lavatory and heat furnished; $50 and $45 per month; will decorate.
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4011 DELMAR BL.

Before snow and ice sets in, avoid long, cold rides to work; this beautiful new efficiency apartment is but 15 minutes from downtown; rents only $50 to $75, with heat, gas, electric refrigeration, elevator and janitor service furnished. See manager on premises.
BUSH-BURNS. Main 4327. (c60)

EASTGATE, 5000—Six rooms; heat furnished; modern 4 rooms; in-a-door bed; heat and hot water service.

EASTGATE, 512—First floor north; 3 rooms, including sunroom, $60.
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EASTGATE, 5140—Delightful 3-room efficiency apartment will decorate to suit. Main 2996. Main 4307. (c)

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EMBASSY APT.
WASHINGTON AND UNION BLS.

Five rooms; beautiful spacious; desirable exposure; light, gas heat and refrigeration furnished.

KNRIGHT, 5033—6 rooms; excellent servant's room; clean apartment.
KNRIGHT, 5035—2 large rooms, sunroom and in-a-door bed; heat furnished.
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ENRIGHT, 5800—6 rooms; sunroom; sleeping porch; sun parlor and 2 baths; electric refrigeration. Forest 7434W (c99)

THE ROCKLYN

5838 Enright—New three and four room apartments; three different types to choose from; some have bedrooms; electric refrigeration, gas and electricity included in rental; fireplaces, cultured tiled, antique mantelpieces and every modern convenience; close to street cars, buses and stores; a high-class building at an unusually low rental. Manager on premises.

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4407 FOREST PARK BL.
Four rooms; all in A1 order; rent only $60; concession.
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FORSYTHE, 7020—5 rooms and sunroom; electric refrigeration. Call Clerk, Cabany 2100. (c)

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Lady of Lourdes Parish

Flat and 2d floor; 6 rooms, including sun parlor and sleeping porch; electric refrigeration; garage; about on premises.
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7021 FORSYTHE BL.
MOST BEAUTIFUL APARTMENT
Outside and inside; in the city

Just completed; only 2 left. Seven large rooms, 2 baths; parquetry floor in living and dining rooms. Tile floors in kitchen and breakfast rooms. Concealed radiators. Frigidaire.

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HAMILTON, 1217—4 rooms; 2 beds; well decorate. GRand 0854.

HEMAN, 716—3-room

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West

RENT REDUCED.
1285C Hodiamont av.—3 rooms with 5-room efficiency; heat furnished; hardwood floors, tiled bath; newly decorated; janitor service; rent $40 per month. Apply 1287 Hodiamont. CAbany 0324.

HODGTON PL., 3944—3 rooms, bath, heat, gas; adults; furnished, $30. (c)

JULIAN, 5709—4 large, beautiful rooms; 4-family; private entrance; newly decorated; rent reduced. CAbany 6057

FRANKLIN REALTY CO. (Central 1224.

McCURDY, 6368—Sun parlor, 4 rooms, Murphy bed; garage; reasonable. (c)

DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 908 Chestnut.

CLYDESDALE, 5709—5 rooms, including sunroom; electric refrigeration; only $65.

GILSON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

LACLEDE, 316 (Orchard)—3-room efficiency. Modernistic and gas included. $50; many satisfied tenants in this building over five years; janitor will show you.

GREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

LEXANE, 831—3 beautiful rooms and sunroom with Murphy bed; rent $65; liberal concession.

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307 Wainwright Bldg. MAin 4643.

LIMIT, 737—Five large rooms, inner bed, electric refrigeration; first floor; decorate to suit. (c)

LINDELL, 4015A—8 rooms, water in rooms; fine condition; open.

LINDELL, 4062—2-room apartment; gas range; private room; reasonable. (c)

LISBELL, 4934 (facing Delmar)—8-room apartment. For particulars call FRANCISCUS REALTY CO.

LINDELL AND WHITTIER—Northwest corner; 4-room efficiency, gas and elec. refr.; $67.50 (a) manager, JEfferson 1401
DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 908 Chestnut.

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7350 Lindell bl.; brand-new; just a few left; 3-room efficiencies; most up-to-date electric feature; furnish gas. Manager on premises.

McCAUSLAND, 1309—3 large, light rooms; heat, janitor service; refrigeration; garage; open. **SAVINGS TRUST CO., FOrest 8240.**

McPHERSON, 5709—5 rooms; all conveniences. See ZEREGA BROS. AGENCY, 201 Title Guaranty Bldg. Chestnut 5884.

McPHERSON, 4714—Lovely 6-room apartment, first floor east; all conveniences; rent $1. MAin 2986. 713 Chestnut. (c67)

5951 McPherson Av.

Five rooms, tiled bath, electric refrigeration, kneehole desk; $75, including garage.
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McPHERSON, 5911 — Modern, 8 rooms, newly decorated; rent $75; adults. (c99)

McPHERSON, 5748—5 fine rooms, bath, garage; being newly decorated; only $80. OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

APARTMENTS

4965 McPherson, 5 rooms.....$80 00
5885 Nina pl., 5 rooms (possession Jan. 1).....85 00
5536 Waterman, 7 rooms, 2 baths.....
J. M. LEVI & CO., 109 N. 7th. MA. 2968

CHOICE APARTMENTS

5747 McPherson, 5 rooms, sunroom; concession; tenant will show.
5938 Kingsbury, 4 rooms, sunroom, sleeping porch, garage; newly decorated.
5568 Pershing, 4 rooms, sunroom, garage; vacant Jan. 1.
5784 Leland, 4 rooms, sunroom, Murphy bed; garage; rent reduced.
GEO. F. BERGFELD COMPANY, INC.
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MAPLE, 3169 — 3 unfurnished rooms, newly decorated; heat furnished; adults. (c99)

MARYLAND, 4361A—8 rooms; heat furnished and janitor service. Call
P. J. EGAN MAin 4492

MERAMEC, 7255 (Clayton)—5-room efficiency; frigidaire. CAbany 5825W.

MIRAMAR, 5895 — Corner Hamilton; choice 4 rooms, 2d floor, heat furnished; cheapest in town, $50.
Wolf-Pollack, 101 N. 8th. MAin 1858.

NEWSTEAD, 511 N.—4-room apartment; newly decorated; hardwood floors, hot water; cheapest rent in West End; $40.
FRANK J. FRICK REALTY, Wainwright Bldg.

NINA Pl., 5845—5 large rooms with sunroom; newly painted and decorated.
SHUCHART REALTY CO., 814 Chestnut.

NORTHWOOD, 6328—5 rooms; sunroom; garage; reasonable rent. Park-view 3858. (c99)

NORTHWOOD, 6300 (third floor west)—splendidly arranged 7 rooms; open; $125.
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NORTHWOOD, 6210—New fireproof apartment; kitchen, dinette, full-size bedroom, large living room with roll-away bed; refrigerator, gas and electric included; rent $82.50 to $85.
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POM-O-AK APARTMENTS

6228-38 Oakland (overlooking Forest Park)—5-room efficiency; heat, light, gas, refrigeration; garages available. See manager, Hiland 3076.

PAGE, 5443—3d floor, 5 rooms, bath; half block from Principia and public school, $65.
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AT FOREST PARK—5800 OAKLAND.
1014 Oakview—4-room efficiency.

PERSHING, 6010—2d floor east, 5 large rooms; screened front porch; garage; desirable; reasonable. (c81)

PERSHING, 5783—5 rooms, sun parlor, $75. BARNGROVE & SPECHT, 112 N. 7th st.

PERSHING, 5517—3d floor east, 5 rooms, newly decorated and painted; very reasonable rent. Riverside 5210. (c80)

PERSHING, 5515—5 sunny rooms; will decorate. FRANCISCUS. MAin 4407. (c91)

PERSHING, 5503—5 rooms, reception hall, open porch; garage; concession.
O'REILLY, NO. 412 WAINWRIGHT BLDG. MAIN 2457. 705 CHESTNUT ST.

PERSHING, 5374—3 rooms, 1 concealed bed; newly decorated; all in A1 order; concession.
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PERSHING AV. APARTMENT
5375 Pershing av., 5 rooms, hardwood floors, heat, janitor service, etc.; reasonable rent to keep tenant; open.
CARNAHAN, 705 Chestnut. Ches. 8300

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5795 Pershing av., ½ block University car; 6 and 7 rooms, including large sun parlor, electric refrigeration furnished; will decorate to suit. See janitor or phone owner, Central 0314. (c94)

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South side Pershing, west of Union; second floor; 4 rooms and bath; electricity and gas included; rent only $67.50. See manager, first floor, 281 or
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Adline, 5795 Pershing av.; 6 rooms and large sun parlor, living room, dining room and bedroom; facing south; new all-porcelain refrigerators equipped with electric refrigeration furnished; redecorated to suit; open for inspection. Phone owner, Central 0314. (c94)

6327 N. Rosebury—Only $75

5 rooms, including sun parlor, refrigeration furnished; open; living room.
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6322 SOUTH ROSEBURY

One-half block west of Forest Park; splendidly arranged; 7 rooms, 2 baths; owner.
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3 ROOMS, KITCHENETTE DE MUN TRACT—$70

6311-13 S. Rosebury; has large craftsman living room, real bedroom, kitchenette and dining alcove; rental includes light, gas, heat and refrigeration; see janitor or rental manager, 6315 S. Rosebury, first floor east.

STANLEY EPSTEIN, INC.
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SAN BONITA, 6519—6 rooms and sun parlor; ready for occupancy; rent reduced.

SAN BONITA, 6525—2d or 3d floor, 5 rooms, including sunroom; newly decorated; $70 and $80. Salvage if desired.
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SOUTHWOOD, 6341—5 rooms, sun room; garage; new building; $98. Park. 3858. (c99)

6235-37 SOUTHWOOD

Open apartments in the beautiful De Mun district, back from Forest Park.
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800 Chestnut. MAin 4407. (c91)

SPECIAL, 1805, S.—First floor, north; 4 rooms, newly decorated; $60; open.
GILSON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

SYRACUSE, 724—5 rooms; steam heat; janitor service. (c)

TAYLOR, 4 N.—Lyndon Apartments, 4 and 5 large rooms; low rent. See janitor or call phone Delmar 1454.

VILLARD, 5236—New 2-family apartment; 5 rooms; new; attractive. Park. 5858. (c99)

UNIVERSITY DRIVE, 6007—First floor, beautiful 9-room apartment, 4 bedrooms; in first-class condition; Frigidaire garage in rear; rent $125. DUBINSKY REALTY CO., 30 Wainwright Bldg.

VERNON, 5200—4 large and light rooms, everything newly finished; reduced to $60. Janitor, 5212.
WHEELER REALTY CO., 819 Chestnut.

WASHINGTON, 4360—Apartment, six rooms, tile baths.

WASHINGTON, 4356—4 rooms, janitor service; rent reduced; will pay for moving. Victor 0065. (c99)

WASHINGTON, 6073 — 5 rooms; splendid arrangement; open.
J. I. EPSTEIN & SON, 617 Chestnut.

WASHINGTON, 5915—6 rooms, garage; concession. Call owner, CAbany 0802. (c)

WASHINGTON, 5903—5 rooms; corner, 999 Hamilton, 4 rooms sun parlor, 929 Westgate, 5 rooms, sun parlor, sleeping porch; refrigeration furnished.
DIESTELHORST, PArkview 0200.

4432 WASHINGTON BL.

Beautiful 3 and 4 room efficiencies; just reduced. DElmar 3412. (c80)

6818 WASHINGTON

Beautiful 5-room apartment, all newly decorated, immediate possession, rent reasonable.
O. PANGBURN, REALTOR,
5733 Delmar. CAbany 4400. (c83)

WATERMAN, 6000 (2d floor)—5 rooms, sleeping porch. CAbany 3325W.

WATERMAN, 5145—Apartment; new efficiencies with bedroom? See manager.

SEVEN-ROOM APARTMENT

5536 Waterman; 7 rooms, sunroom; open porch; steam heat, hot water; 2 baths, janitor service, sleeping porch, refrigeration; garage.
M. LEVI & CO., 109 N. 7th

WESTGATE, 774—Upper 7 rooms, heat, janitor; reasonable. CAbany 6322W. (c83)

WESTGATE, 821—5 rooms with sun parlor, Murphy bed; redecorated throughout; heat, refrigeration; 3d floor north; $60. (c99)

WESTGATE, 729—5 rooms, sun room, new hardwood floors throughout; newly decorated; electric refrigeration. CAbany 7441. (c)

WESTMINSTER PL., 5808 (2d floor)—7 rooms 3 bedrooms. PArkview 2949W. (c81)

WESTMINSTER PL., 5764—Five rooms and sun parlor; hardwood floors; stove; Frigidaire. (c)

WESTMINSTER, 4165—3-room efficiency, including bath; gas and refrigeration, $58.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

WESTMINSTER PL., 5764—Six rooms; newly decorated; including new gas stove and electric refrigeration; rent reasonable. Apply 1st floor west. (c)

WEST PINE, 3927—4 or 5 rooms; heat, janitor; reasonable. (c)

WEST PINE, 4939—7 rooms, sun parlor, 2 baths, electric refrigerator and laundry; garage; very desirable. (c)

WEST PINE, 4222—Beautiful apartment; newly decorated; janitor service; rent reduced; phone JEfferson 3735.

PARK LANE APT., 4398 WEST PINE—Very choice location; beautiful efficiency type apt.; now finished, elegantly craftsized decorated; Quick Meal ranges; better kelvinator; rental $55-$65; includes gas, electric refrigeration, heat, extra bedroom, $77.50; service; concession. See manager. (c87)

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$65 to $67.50

Includes electric refrigeration, light, gas, heat, hot water and janitor service. Just a few apartments available for rent in this beautiful building.
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Three lovely rooms in basement of new apartment; front entrance; 6344 Northwood. CAbany 8393.

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Beautiful new 4-room efficiency, 23-foot living room, detroused floors, colored tile baths, large closets. Frigidaire, electric, gas furnished, garage in basement; rents very reasonable.
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ALL OPEN FOR INSPECTION.
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4 attractive rooms and sun parlor.
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(North of Delmar at Union) 5 large rooms and porch; low rent; adults; garages.

Second east of regular rooms and sun parlor; nicely decorated; adults; garages.
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Large living room, bedroom, kitchen, dressing room with bed; $55 and $60.

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DElmar 5147 (c96)

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Four-room modern apartment; newly decorated.
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3-room efficiency with dinette.
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West

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Northeast corner Clara and Delmar. Beautiful apartments, 4 to 6 rooms, newly decorated and modernized throughout; in first-class condition. Rents $50 to $75. Frigidaire in 5 and 6 room apartments. See manager at building offices 5577 Delmar. CAbany 9439.

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New Apartment—Fireproof
Northeast corner Spring and Palm. Ultra-modern apartments, consisting of living room with concealed bed, full-size bedroom, dinette, kitchenette, tile bath with shower, refrigeration furnished Quick Meal gas range, built-in ironing board, linoleum on kitchenette floor; all modern conveniences; garage in rear. Rent $65. Representative on premises.

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3 and 4 rooms, all outside.
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Will decorate to suit.

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Attractive apartments and surroundings. Every possible convenience. Garage in basement. Light, airy rooms. Craftex walls. Electric refrigeration, gas, elevator.
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APARTMENT—3 rooms, furnished; private bath; phone if desired. DElmar 5314W. (c)

APARTMENT—Beautifully furnished new 3-room duplex, high-class neighborhood, convenient to transportation, schools, etc. Large basement, brick cottage lines, no vee if desired; references required; ken tlemen only; price reasonable. Parkview 6256.

Central

CASS, 1502A—3 efficiency apartment arranged rooms furnished, new and modern; $12 week. (c)

North

BADEN, 736—Furnished 3-room efficiency; $40. Apply 8110 N. Broadway. (c)

South

APARTMENT—Very attractive 3-room efficiency; 2 bedrooms, completely furnished; very reasonable rent. (c)

CHEROKEE, 2753—3-room furnished apartment; steam heat. PRospect 1305.

LAFAYETTE, 3217 — 2 delightful furnished housekeeping rooms, clean; modern, steam heat; ideal location; adults.

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North-Crest Homes

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Northwest

ALCOTT, 4070—4-room frame cottage; lot 30x150; only $3000.
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CONTRACTORS, builders and repair men; it will pay you to call on us to look over our stock of building material; our prices and service will interest you. Missouri Steel & Wire Co., 1406 N. Broadway. (c99)

WE have everything in building materials; dimension lumber, windows, doors, bath room fixtures, sash, etc. Edward D. Meyer, Selma and Miami. PRospect 3848.

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COMPOSITION and slate surfaced shingles and roll roofing; tarred and asphalt felt roofing and building paper pitch, solid asphalt, roof paints, coating and cement, nails, materials and accessories; quick service will interest you. Missouri Steel and Wire Co., 1406 N. Broadway. (c99)

COAL, COKE AND WOOD

For Sale

A-1 COAL, lump or egg, $4.75 ton; lots of 5 tons, $4.50. Main 4451.

BUNKER HILL, lump, $4.50; Collinsville, $4; egg, $4.75, load lots. Lindell 4766. (c)

CALL Midway 634; white ash lump, $4.50; egg, $4.50; 3-inch nut, $3.75. (c)

CALL FOSTER, JEfferson 2718-2719; coal, $2.75, $3.75, $4.75, $5.75 per ton. (c81)

CLEAN lump, $4 ton, $3.60; nut, $3.50; slack, $2.25. Cab. 8242, Dial 0044. (c84)

CLEAN LUMP COAL—4 to 6 tons, $4.75 ton, $6; 2 tons, $4.75. JEfferson 4477. (c)

COAL—Ace clean lump, $5 per ton; 2 tons or over, Lindell 4699. (c)

COAL—Best grade lump, $4.50; nut, $4.50; from mine. GArfield 1019W.

COAL—Call Gland 5458, white ash, $4.50; quality $4.75; burnall $5.25. (c)

COAL—GOOD LUCK MT. $4 ton; 2 ton lots. LaClede 1727.

COAL—White ash lump, $5 ton; 2 tons or more, LaClede 1727.

COAL—Bunker Hill lump, $4.50 per ton. Call Tyler 8054.

A COAL FOR LESS—Burnall, $5.75; Oak Hill, $4.50; loads nut, $3.50; all guaranteed. Cabany 1000.

COAL—A1 lump, $5; mine run, $4.25; nut, $4.25; slack, $3. Lindell 5333M. (92)

COAL—A1 lump, $5; mine run, $4.25; nut, $4.25; slack, $3. Lindell 5333M. (92)

COAL—Direct from mine—plain lump, $4.50 per ton in 2-ton lots. Call Gland 4570J. (c)

COAL—Nut, $3.75; mine run, $4.25; good lump, $4.75, in 3-ton lots. 5027W.

ILLINOIS coal haulers, weigh your trucks, 12 Gratiot; new scale.

KINDLING WOOD—Now is the time; new, ready cut; large block or furnace; $3.5 load. Gravois 1020.

WONDER COAL

$4, $4.50 and $5

C. A. FULLER COAL CO., GRand 6466.

EXCHANGE

FURNITURE—To exchange—3 rooms of furniture partly paid for, as payment on truck, delivery car. 1809 Geyer.

LUMBER—Sheeting, flooring, joists, heavy timber, $20 a thousand. Victor 1214.

SASH, doors, heating material, plumbing fixtures and kindling. 6062 Cates.

WE have everything in building materials; dimension lumber, windows, doors, bath room fixtures, sash, etc. Edward D. Meyer, Selma and Miami. PRospect 3848.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

Wanted

HORSE, WAGON AND HARNESS WTD.—Must be clean. 1439 S. 3d. Call after noon.

PARK WAGON OR LIGHT SPRING WTD.—2126 McLaren, EVergreen 4593.

For Sale

GOOD work horse, wagon and harness. Phone ridgedale 9407.

HARNESS—Farm wagons, harrows, plows, cultivators, mowers, disks. 4224 Evans.

HORSES—Work horses and mules. 5238 Shreve. (c99)

HORSES—Stout young team; $125; bare, $45; harness, 306 S. Jefferson.

HORSES—Wagon and harness; cheap; all kinds. 1706 Biddle.

HOGS—Second-hand, with trial and guarantee. See Lowenstein, 1321-1325 N. Broadway. (c)

HORSES—Mares and mules, 35 sets single and double harness, wagons, feeder and 50 1906 X Tenth st. (c)

MULES—2 good work mules and 1 mare, 4351 West Pated. (c)

MULE TEAM—Good condition, $65; also pony $25. 3533 Evans. (c)

PONIES—Two; suitable for school children. Dun Cosh, 500 S. Front st., East St. Louis, Ill.

TEAM OF WORK HORSES—Also top wagon. Baffel Drayage Co., 2214 N. 10th.

WAGON MATERIAL—All kinds; reasonable; also wagons of all kinds. 1621 S. Jefferson.

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

For Sale

BAKERY OUTFIT—Complete; late style fixtures, mixers, ovens, and etc.; bargain. 1007 Market. (c)

BANK SAFE—York, Line, like new, very cheap. 1007 Market. (c)

BAR FIXTURES—Beautiful; cheap for quick sale. Ernst S. Reis, 430 Wilmington, Ridgedale 9694.

BUTCHER REFRIGERATOR—One meat block, good condition, $75. 4100 Newstead.

BUTCHER AND GROCERY OUTFIT—Latest style coolers, freezer cases, meat blocks, counter and shelving, cash registers, scales, slicers, meat and coffee grinders, and etc.; bargains, cash or terms, low prices. Bensinger Co., 1007 Market. (c)

BUTCHER AND GROCERY OUTFITS—A complete line of icehouses, either upright or counter display; also combination meat and coffee mills, scales, cash register, bins, etc.; cash or terms. 721 N. 7th.

BUTCHER AND GROCERY OUTFIT—Complete vitrolite front full display butcher's boiler, all makes freezer boxes, display boxes, meat racks, counters, shelvings, blocks, meat slicers, combination mills, scales, registers, tools, etc.; bargains, terms. St. Louis Desk & Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

CANNON STOVES

Largest stock in city all sizes, at lowest prices. Bensinger's, 1007 Market. (c)

CASH REGISTER—Remington; private parts; small. 2908 Olive.

CASH REGISTER—$5.90; bargain.

CASH REGISTER—Safe, typewriter, counter, show cases, tire racks. 2644 Michigan.

CASH REGISTERS—Show case, both mahogany finish; typewriter; cheap. 2910 Washington.

CASH REGISTERS—Guaranteed rebuilt; low prices and liberal terms. Buy here and you take no chance. Southern, 3020 Olive st. (c99)

CASH REGISTER—One National; good as new, cost $275, will sell for $150; quick sale; also one Burroughs adding machine, price $100; sell for $50. Call Colfax 7214W. (c)

250 CASH REGISTERS

Latest model, Nationals and Remingtons, very large and complete stock on special sale, very low prices, every one guaranteed for year. BENSINGER, 1007 Market.

National Cash Register

Complete stock; low prices; easy terms. FACTORY REBUILT—GUARANTEED. No interest. Why take a chance? NATIONAL CASH REGISTER CO., 1011 Olive st. CEntral 2060. (c99)

CHECKWRITERS—All makes, large selection, all in good shape, real prices. Bensinger, 1007 Market. (c)

CIGAR OUTFIT—New or used; all sizes and finishes; also soft drink counter, desks, chairs, registers etc.; cash or terms. St. Louis Desk & Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

CONFECTIONERY AND LUNCH OUTFIT—Soda fountain, back bars, frozen goods, counter boxes, wall cases, floor cases, meat slicers, scales, registers, counters, shelving, tables, chairs, etc.; bargain, cash or terms. St. Louis Desk & Fixture, 721 N. 7th.

COUNTERS—High-grade; can see Sunday. 3911 Delmar, rear. (c)

DESKS—Chairs, tables; other office equipment. 1724 Washington.

DESK, chairs and safe. Call Monday, 610 Columbia Bldg. (c)

DESK—Flat-top, quarter-sawed, oak; good condition; cheap; also one oak typewriter desk. W. E. Becker, 1926 Chestnut. (c)

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

For Sale

FLAT TOP DESK—Table, two 42-inch rolltop desks, oak. 817 Franklin.

DESKS—A complete line in oak, walnut or mahogany; also steel filing cabinets, office chairs and partitions. 721 N. 7th.

DESKS, chairs and table for office, fine condition; very reasonable. 1726 Arcade Bldg. Main 1557. (c)

DESKS—New, used, oak, walnut, mahogany; also tables, chairs, costumers, adding machines, typewriters, check protectors, etc.; low prices. St. Louis Desk, 711 N. 7th.

DESKS, OFFICE FURNITURE.

Latest style, practically new, oak and mahogany, desks, tables, chairs, steel and wood files, bookcases, safes, typewriters, checkwriters, and etc., very large stock, bargains. Bensinger, 100 S. 12th st. (c)

DISPLAY ICEBOX COUNTER—8 foot, suitable for vegetable or restaurant business. 3701 Cook.

FIXTURES—Store and office; all kinds; big Bargains. Rickensohl, 915 N. 8th. (c86)

FIXTURES—Floor cases, notion case, register, shelving; half price; removing at once; bookcases, safes, typewriters, checkwriters, and etc., very large stock, bargains. Bensinger, 100 S. 12th st. (c)

FIXTURES—For small grocery store, including 2 meat display counters, 1 pair barton scales, 1 computing scales, 2 blocks, shelving, etc., 1 large icebox; a bargain. Fred Silkwood, 605 N. Victor st., Christopher.

FLOOR AND WALL CASES—For all business purposes; refinished like new; a large stock; bargains. St. Louis Desk & Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

GAS HEATERS—Like new; wall cases; suit forms; bargains. Stern's, 509 Washington.

GROCERY FIXTURES—And cash register; will sacrifice. Call between 8 and 10 a. m. GRand 4511.

HOTEL RANGES—Our specialty, new and used, gas or coal, all standard makes and sizes, real bargains on any size. Bensinger Co., 1007 Market. (c)

MILLINERY and dress fixtures; rugs. 5616 Delmar.

OIL BURNER—One Quiet May automatic conversion; 85% combustion; first-class condition. Apply building superintendent, mezzanine floor, Stix, Baer & Fuller Co.

PASTRY MIXER—Electric. Call Wednesday. 4145.

REAL bargain in fixtures, see New Franklin Fixture Co., 907 Market. (c80)

REGISTER, Rebuilt Nationals, Remingtons, all sizes; same guarantee as new; bargain. St. Louis Desk & Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

RESTAURANT OR DELICATESSEN FIXTURES—A complete line of counters in wood or steel; white glass top; chairs, tables, coffee urns and steam tables; cash or terms. 721 N. 7th.

RESTAURANT OUTFITS—Steel or wood, vitrolite counters and tables, back counters, chairs, booths, tables, steam tables, urns, griddles, toasters, waffle irons, ice boxes, scales, registers, etc.; bargains, terms. St. Louis Desk Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT AND FIXTURES—Complete outfitters, new and used, also made to order. Any style cash register, cigar cases, counters, stools, tables, chairs, booths, steam tables, urns, steam tables, hotel ranges, linoleums, fans, dishes, cooking utensils, and etc., terms and most reasonable prices. Bensinger, 1007 Market. (c)

ROLL TOP DESK—60 inches long, with swivel chair and light, slightly used, $25 complete. Riverside 1317R. (c)

SCALES—All kinds, rebuilt, Dayions, Toledos and Standees, etc.; barrel or fan computing; also counter and floor scales, guaranteed; bargains. St. Louis Desk & Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

SHELVING—Dry goods, etc.; exceptional buy for quick sale; store for rent; flat above occupied. 4768 Franklin, Phone 2160. Call Sunday if possible. (c)

SHOWCASES—Can see Sunday, 5011 Delmar, rear.

SHOW CASES—One 8-foot, one 4-foot, bargain. 3924 Washington.

SHOW CASES.

Floor Cases—All sizes, kinds and descriptions; special low prices for the season. 100 South 12th st. (c)

STEAM TABLES and electric toaster; reasonable. Conrady Pharmacy, Ferguson, Mo.

STEEL LOCKERS—About 100, in perfect condition; will sacrifice to make room. St. Louis Desk & Fixture Co., 721 N. 7th.

STORE FIXTURES—Show cases, wall cases, safes and fixtures; clean. Ben Levi Loan & Mercy Store, 516 Market.

STORE AND OFFICE RESTAURANT FIXTURES—Below cost.

Cases $5, counters $5, cash registers, $15 up; coolers, scales and etc., cheap.

Restaurant outfits complete at cost. Desks, $5 up; tables, $8 up; chairs, 50c up; files, $1 up; other bargains.

Butcher all kinds, half price.

Everything must go at once; cash or terms. Eichenlaub Bros. Fixture Co., 913 N. 8th. (c)

TABLES—4 restaurant tables, 16 chairs, 1 gallon coffee urn, 2 gas ranges, one upright piano. Call at 4220 Gravois afternoon.

TIME CLOCK—International and Cincinnati; both in perfect condition; real bargain, 1007 Market. (c)

VEGETABLE STAND—All white; separate compartments; take $95. 1150 North 2nd South 5th. Webster 4246.

WALL CASE—Can see Sunday, 5621 Delmar, rear. (c)

WE offer furnishings, typewriters, dictaphones, safe, chairs, etc. Federal Service Bldg., 112 N. 4th. CHestnut 7205. (c1)

Plumbers' Plumbing Supplies

PLUMBING AND HEATING SUPPLIES AT WHOLESALE

Write for big free catalogue showing 30 to 50 per cent saving on all plumbing supplies, such as sinks, lavatories, closets, bathtubs, bathroom outfits, pipe and fittings, gas ranges, water heaters, all grade; first quality and guaranteed for 5 years.

We also carry a full line of hot-water and steam boilers, furnaces; a saving from 30 to 50 per cent.

Our line is so enormous that it is impossible to enumerate all the items in this ad, but will mail you one of our big free catalogues upon request.

INDEPENDENT PLUMBING & HEATING SUPPLY CO., 1131 Chestnut st. (c99)

WE are closing out our stock of fixtures at unheard-of prices; see us and compare our prices with others; 60-inch double drain boards, sink with all trimmings, $37.50; 18x30 flat rimmed sinks, $2.45; inch apron corner sink with trimmings, $5.50; 16x30 enamel sinks, $2.95; urinals, $9.95; 5 and 5 1/2 bathtubs enameled inside and out, regular price, $60, our price, $25; all other plumbing fixtures accordingly. Kopman Bros., 2014 Franklin. Central 0741. (c99)

SEEDS, PLANTS AND TREES

TREES—Several 2004 maple trees, cheap. Call Hilltop 2254.

TABLE SUPPLIES

HONEY—Pure, 6oc quart. 4132 Potomac. Laclede 6412.

TYPEWRITER AND ADDING MACHINES

For Sale

FACTORY rebuilt and portables. We rent, sell and repair all makes. Fletcher T. W. Co., 816A Pine. MAin 0843. (c99)

TYPEWRITERS, $1 to best; $25 all kinds; rent a $1 portable. 1512 Locust.

TYPEWRITER—Remington; good condition; $18. 4908 Davison.

TYPEWRITERS—$10 up; repairs; rents. Union Co., 20 N. 6th. 2d floor. (c99)

TYPEWRITERS—$10 up; repairs; rents. Union Co., 20 N. 6th. 2d floor. (c99)

TYPEWRITERS—Underwood No. 5, Remington No. 10, all in splendid condition; real bargains. 1007 Market. (c)

UNDERWOOD—Perfect condition; $70 cash today. 1128 Bircher place. (c)

ADDING MACHINE—Color tape, like new; every way bargain. GArfield 2636. 1221 Arcade lobby.

ADDING MACHINES—Burroughs, Dalton, Sundstrand and Wales, late style; bargains, new, very cheap. 1007 Market. (c)

ADDING MACHINES AND TYPEWRITERS—Sold, rented, repaired; low rates; dependable machines. Reliable Adding Machine and Typewriter Co., 123 Arcade Lobby. GArfield 3636. (c99)

AUTOMOBILES

For Hire

DUMP TRUCK — 3½ ton; reasonable. 99 street 3259.

FOR HIRE—2½-ton dump truck. GArfield 3040W.

SEDAN—6-cylinder, 1928; with experienced driver. Box R-1, Post-Dispatch.

Wanted

ALL makes late model cars bought for cash. 1903 Locust.

ALL autos bought, cash, mortgages paid. Forest 9284, Williams, 4867 Easton. (c)

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ALL AUTOS, 1000 bought, loans, consigned. Lindell 7512, 3834 Easton. (c)

ALL AUTOS Wtd.— Any condition, call Sunday, mornings and all week. Lindell 8342. Tanneburn, 4023 Easton.

AUTOS Wtd.—Condition no object; highest prices paid. Hilland 9718. (c)

AUTOS Wtd.—All makes late model cars bought for cash. LaClede 5810.

AUTOS Wtd.—1000, for wrecking, highest prices paid. 2710 University. Lin. 9255. (c)

AUTOS Wtd.—For wrecking. Waldman's Auto Parts, 4444 Easton, DElmar 4444. (c)

AUTOMOBILES

Wanted

AUTOS Wtd.—Pay spot cash; need them badly. Open till 9 p. m. 3214 Locust.

AUTOS Wtd.—Absolutely all automobiles bought for wrecking. 4319 Easton. Lindell 7561.

AUTOS Wtd.—We are in the market for cars in good salable condition and must be late models; privately owned; money loaned and mortgages paid off. F. A. Reed Sales, 7194 Manchester. Hilland 3498. (c)

AUTOS WANTED FOR CASH

Will buy your car or make you a loan. GUARANTY MOTOR CORP., 2936 Locust. (c81)

BROCK MOTOR buys used cars for cash. Olive at Newstead. JEfferson 8760. (c81)

CARS AND TRUCKS Wtd.—For salvage and parts. South Side Auto Parts, 1765 S. 12th. Victor 4146. (c82)

CHEVROLET—1928 coupe. Call between 1 and 6 Sunday. Lindell 5590.

FORDS Wtd.—To buy: Chevrolets; highest cash paid for coupes, sedans, roadsters, trucks. Lindell 7340. (c)

FORD-CHEVROLET Wtd.—High cash paid for coupes, sedans, roadsters, trucks. Lindell 7340. 3114 Cass. (10)

FORDS—Chevrolets wanted; pay cash. 1707 Geyer.

Fords Wanted—"Spot Cash"

See us for best prices; mortgages paid off; any models. 4166 Olive. (c81)

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$25,000 CASH FOR AUTOS

Bring car, get cash; mortgages paid. MARCH, 2127 Locust st. (c81)

STOP! LOOK! READ!

Cash for your car, or make you a loan on it. YAHLEM, 1035 N. Grand. (c141)

DON'T TRADE YOUR FORD

We pay more than trade-in allowances; 100 Fords wanted; $50 to $500; mortgages paid off. CARROLL & ABELN AUTO CO., Lindell 6164. 3856 Easton. (c4)

Auto Repairing, Storage, Etc.

AUTO TOPS RECOVERED—Side curtains repaired. 1450 N. 15th. CEntral 0220.

Automobiles For Exchange

FOR EXCHANGE—2½-ton dump truck; for car or radio. 2831 Park. (c)

EXCHANGE—3 pleasure cars for Chevrolet or Ford truck. Brock, Olive-Newstead

Broughams For Sale

BUICK—1927 master 6 brougham; like new; cheap; trade; terms. 2506 S. Jefferson.

1926 BUICK BROUGHAM

5-pass., like new; bargain terms. PIERCE-ARROW DISTRIBUTER. DElmar 0188. Used Car Annex, 439 N. Euclid av. Open Sunday. (c)

CHRYSLER, 70—Brougham; $925; Studebaker, Special; sedan; $895; others, easy terms. Williams, 4867 Easton. (c76)

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HUDSON—1926 brougham; paint and motor in splendid condition. 1805 Russell.

10 Hudson Broughams, Coaches

Real bargains; terms. 3521 Page. (c)

JORDAN 8 BROUGHAM, $395

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Series 81; 1928; 5-passenger brougham; 6 wire wheels and tires; well fenders; run less than 10,000 miles; $1000 off list price. THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

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Cabriolets For Sale

CHEVROLET—'27; rumble seat; $525; $125 down. Williams 4867 Easton.

CHEVROLET—1928 cabriolet; green; runs like new; sale, like new; cheap; trade; terms. 2844 S. Broadway.

CHEVROLET—1927 cabriolet. Normandy Motors Inc., 2309 Natural Bridge. EVergreen 2200.

CHEVROLET CAB, 1928

$100 down. All extras.

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Look! 1927 Chev. Cab.

Just the kind of car you'll go crazy about; original finish; runs like new; somebody will get a bargain; also 1926 coupe. Ford, Buick, Nash and about 1000 more to select from. YAHLEM, 1035 N. Grand.

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$850, $200 down; rumble seat, like new. MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

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Coaches For Sale

BUICK—1927 master coach; original finish; low mileage. 1805 Russell.

BUICK—1926 master 6 coach; new tires; original new car appearance; beauty throughout; $1400 down. 3418 Lucas.

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BUICK—Coach; latest 1928 model; 2826 miles; perfect; a real bargain; will trade; see it today. 4166 Olive. (c)

BUICK—Coach, 1928; perfect condition; looks like new; bargain. At once. Garner, Riverside 4146R or call owner, Riverside 4146R. (c)

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South Side Buick

Buick Master 6 coach; 1925; clean. 3654 S. Grand. LaClede 7004. (c82)

BUICK COACH

1927 Standard 6; original finish; mechanically like new; $960 down; terms; trade.

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SAVE $150 Terms, Service Guarantee. | Chevrolets | Various Body Types, Colors. | UNIVERSAL 3229 LOCUST. If the car you want isn't on our floor, we can get it for you at a reduced price.

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CHRYSLER 70 COACH, $450

$100 down; runs very good; guaranteed. MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

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Will sell my 60 coach very cheap today; perfect shape. 7449 Washington. Cabany 5473.

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50-60-70; all reconditioned; guaranteed paint, tires. All exceptionally good values. Riverside 5040.

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Will sell my 60 coach very cheap today; perfect shape. Cabany 5473, 7449 Washington.

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This car is absolutely the latest model. Can be had at a real bargain. See us before you buy.

OUR CARS ARE PLAINLY PRICED
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19TH & LOCUST ST. CENTRAL 8420.
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1926; clean; very best of tires and mechanical condition; a seven-bearing, 6-cylinder, 4-wheel hydraulic brake; sort of standard make for $200 down. See today.

CHRYSLER USED CAR STORES.
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NEW DE SOTO—Coach; 10 per cent discount; sold today. Auburn Wellston Co., 6511 Easton.

ESSEX—Coach, 1926; like new; $150; many others. 4503 Easton.

ESSEX—1928 Coach; $595, $95, $125, $150. Williams, 4867 Easton. (c76)

ESSEX—1927 coach; $425. (c) 4841 Easton.

ESSEX—1928 coach; only $500. (c) 5870 Easton.

ESSEX—1926 coach; new tires perfect motor; $75; terms. 3843 Easton. (c)

ESSEX—1926 late; excellent shape; real bargain; $20. 4503 Easton.

ESSEX—1927 coach; very good condition; low price; terms; trade. Winters, 2211 S. Broadway. 1903 Sidney. (c)

ESSEX—Coach and sedan, brand-new; $675 and $725; terms or trade. 140 Lo Mex Ferry rd.

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20 Essex Coaches and Sedans

Terms; trade. 3521 Page. (c)

20 Essex Coaches, $95 Up

Real bargains. 3521 Page.

AUTOMOBILES

Coaches For Sale

BUICK—1926 coach; standard 6; has had best of care; terms. 1805 Russell.

BUICK COACH

1927, model 20; overhauled; original duco finish; bargain. SCHNURE-BUICK, 2218 Locust.

BUICK COACH

Master 6; new tires; finish and seat covers, mechanically new; terms; trade. THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

1927 Buick Standard Coach

General condition, price, terms, etc., make this a very good value.

WEST SIDE BUICK AUTO CO., Kingshighway and McPherson. DElmar 0305.

1926 BUICK COACH

This standard 6 Buick coach has been reduced; has new tires; carried our guarantee. Can be had at a real bargain.

OUR CARS ARE PLAINLY PRICED.
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3015 LOCUST ST. JEFFERSON 1111.

CHEVROLET—Coach, 1927; like new; $295; terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

CHEVROLET—Coach, late 1926; good condition; $135; terms. 4502 Natural Bridge.

See This Chrysler "70" Coach

Today; some bargain; runs like brand new; refinished and overhauled; new tires; special $495; 1926 model; also 1928. Essex coach, $495; easy terms.

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CHEVROLET—'26 coach; like new; $195; touring, 1927, $225, $503 Easton.

CHEVROLET—Coach, 1926; $165; like new; trade, terms. 3844 S. Broadway.

CHEVROLET—Coach, 1927; perfect condition, private party; $450. 4166 Olive.

CHEVROLET—1927 coach; like new; $265; terms; trade. 2216 Locust.

CHEVROLET—Coaches and coupes, 1928 to 1927 models; $150 to $300; terms. Henry L. Kuhlman, 5149 Easton. (c55)

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CHEVROLET—1927, family car, used very little, exceptional bargain; $135 down; terms; trade. Brock, Chrysler dealer, Olive-Newstead.

1927 CHEVROLET COACH—$75 Down, like new; big bargain.

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CHEVROLET COACH

1927 model; in good condition; priced right; terms.

SCHNURE-BUICK, 2218 Locust.

1927 CHEV. COACH, $95

Down. Real beauty; perfect condition. GUARANTY MOTOR CORP., 2936 Locust.

1927 Chevrolet Coach

Cleanest running Chev. in town; reduced to $265. A rare bargain; small down payment.

HUDSON-FRAMPTON, 3309 Locust

CHEVROLET COACH

1928; an opportunity to purchase a coach; same as brand-new; $465; terms, trade.

THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

SAVE $150 Terms, Service Guarantee. | Chevrolets | Various Body Types, Colors. | UNIVERSAL 3229 LOCUST. If the car you want isn't on our floor, we can get it for you at a reduced price.

CHRYSLER—Coach, 1926, 28 rumble seat; cheap; trade. 3844 S. Broadway.

CHRYSLER—Coupe, 1928; almost new; sacrificed; trade; terms. MONARCH, 3137 Locust. (c83)

CHRYSLER 70 COACH, $450

$100 down; runs very good; guaranteed. MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

CHRYSLER 6 BARGAIN

Will sell my 60 coach very cheap today; perfect shape. 7449 Washington. Cabany 5473.

CHRYSLER COACHES

50-60-70; all reconditioned; guaranteed paint, tires. All exceptionally good values. Riverside 5040.

LASKER MOTORS, 5626 GRAVOIS.

CHRYSLER 6 BARGAIN

Will sell my 60 coach very cheap today; perfect shape. Cabany 5473, 7449 Washington.

CHRYSLER 65 COACH

This car is absolutely the latest model. Can be had at a real bargain. See us before you buy.

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WEBER IMPLEMENT & AUTOMOBILE COMPANY
19TH & LOCUST ST. CENTRAL 8420.
3015 LOCUST ST. JEFFERSON 1111.

CHRYSLER 70 COACH

1926; clean; very best of tires and mechanical condition; a seven-bearing, 6-cylinder, 4-wheel hydraulic brake; sort of standard make for $200 down. See today.

CHRYSLER USED CAR STORES.
MIDWEST MOTORS, INC.
2908 Locust. JEfferson 4910.

NEW DE SOTO—Coach; 10 per cent discount; sold today. Auburn Wellston Co., 6511 Easton.

ESSEX—Coach, 1926; like new; $150; many others. 4503 Easton.

ESSEX—1928 Coach; $595, $95, $125, $150. Williams, 4867 Easton. (c76)

ESSEX—1927 coach; $425. (c) 4841 Easton.

ESSEX—1928 coach; only $500. (c) 5870 Easton.

ESSEX—1926 coach; new tires perfect motor; $75; terms. 3843 Easton. (c)

ESSEX—1926 late; excellent shape; real bargain; $20. 4503 Easton.

ESSEX—1928, very good condition; low price; terms; trade. Winters, 2211 S. Broadway. 1903 Sidney. (c)

ESSEX—Coach and sedan, brand-new; $675 and $725; terms or trade. 140 Lo Mex Ferry rd.

ESSEX 4—Good condition; $40. 6205 Walker, 3 blocks west of Wheaton station, Lake 1097.

20 Essex Coaches and Sedans

Terms; trade. 3521 Page. (c)

20 Essex Coaches, $95 Up

Real bargains. 3521 Page.

AUTOMOBILES

Coaches For Sale

20 Essex Sedans, Coaches

Real bargains; terms. 3521 Page. (c)

1928 ESSEX COACH, $100

Down. See this before you buy; bargain. GUARANTY MOTOR C

AUTOMOBILES
Coupes For Sale

FORD—Coupes, 1925, $50; 1926, 1927, 2207 Lynch.

FORD—Coupe, 1925; new duco; good tires; perfect motor; $90. 2704 McNair.

FORD—Coupe, late 1925; newly painted; new balloons; $125. 2704 McNair. (c)

FORD—Coupe, 1922; good condition; must sell; new. 3883 Fairview.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; runs good; $55; good buy. 1819 Sidney.

FORD—1928 model coupe; will trade for lot in South St. Louis. Riverside 4822.

FORD—Coupe, 10. 1926-1925; perfect; trade, terms. 2800 McNair.

FORD—Coupe and chassis; $35. 2637 Sullivan av.

1924 COUPE—$55. Call before 12. 5599 Cabanne ave.

FORD—Sport coupe; 1928 model A; run-ning; like new; big reduction; trade, terms. 2800 McNair.

FORDS—10 coupes, all styles, recondi-tioned; $40 up; trade; terms. 2500 S. Jefferson.

FORD—Coupe, 1923; duco paint, wire wheels, rims; good; $75. 5963 Julian. Sunday afternoon.

FORDS—Coupes, roadsters, tourings, sedans, '25-'26-'27, from $50 to $200; terms. 2244 S. Kingshighway.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; good rubber; per-fect; extras, $65; $25 down. 4237 Eas-ton. (c7)

FORD—Coupe; good condition; new tires and paint; $125; $25 down. 5237 Mor-ganford.

FORD—Coupes, 1926 and 1927; wire wheels, bumpers and all the frills; easy terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Coupe; good motor, paint; rubber and general repair; $100. Cash. 3200 S. Kingshigh-way.

FORD—Coupe; latest 1927; wire wheels, bumpers, etc.; guaranteed, $85 down; will trade. 2849 N. Grand. (c7)

FORD—1927 coupe; brand-new tires; paint dark green; clean wire wheels; many extras; $250; trade terms. 4166 Olive.

FORD—Coupe, 1925, balloon tires, lacquer paint, very good condition, 18th St. Ga-rage.

FORD—Coupe; latest 1928 model A stand-ard coupe; big reduction; terms or trade. 2849 N. Grand. (c7)

FORD—Coupe, late '25-'26; balloons; run perfect; $85 up; trade; terms. 1843 S. Broadway.

FORD—Coupe, 1925; hydraulic shock ab-sorbers; fully equipped; 4 spares; pre-Corbitt. Cabany 8873W. 6837

FORD—1926 coupe; original finish; must $65 down, balance terms. Auburn Used Car Dept., 2007 Locust. (c)

FORD—Coupes, 1926, $125; 1925, $175; 1927, $240. Several others to select from. Guaranteed; terms.

JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c80)

FORD—Coupes, 1926; excellent condition, $195; 1925 $135; terms. Open Sunday and evenings. Terms. 3001 Locust. (c)

20 Ford Coupes, Trgs., Sedans

Real bargains, $25 up. 3521 Page.

1926 FORD COUPE

Good shape; cheap. SCHNURE-BUICK, 2218 Locust.

FORD COUPE, 1926

Refinished and guaranteed; only $195; terms; trade. THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

WHIPPET—Coupe, '27; like new; only $85 down; best buy in town. 1843 S. Broadway.

Whippet Coupe, 1927

Model. A dandy small car, priced very low; fine condition; $85 down.

HUDSON-FRAMPTON, 4823 Easton

66 WILLYS-KNIGHT COUPE

This Master six 4-passenger coupe is in 100 per cent original condition has been driven less than 10,000 miles; is in perfect throughout; equipped with the ever famous sleeve-valve motor. Let us demonstrate.

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28 WILLYS-KNIGHT COUPE

This is the famous 70-A model; has been driven less than 6000 miles; is in perfect condition throughout condition; with the famous sleeve valve motor. Let us demonstrate.

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Limousines For Sale

PIERCE—Limousine, 7-passenger, 1925; 70,000 miles; make offer. Box R-230, Post-Dispatch.

PACKARD 8 LIMOUSINE

7-pass., like new; bargain; terms.
PIERCE-ARROW DISTRIBUTER.
DElmar 0188. Used Car Annex.
420 N. Euclid av. Open Sunday. (c)

Roadsters For Sale

BUICK—Roadster, 1926; Nash, 1927. clean, trade, terms. 3844 S. Broadway.

BUICK—1926 roadster; A-1 condition; $375, terms, trade. 3214 Locust.

BUICK—28 sport; 5 new wires; $325; Chevrolet, 1926, $225; wire wheels, $325; Ford '25, $55; Pontiac, '27, $325; terms. 4807 Easton.

Look! Buick Rdstr., $95

Dandy; Standard Six; perfect; real bargain. GUARANTY MOTOR CORP., 2936 Locust.

BUICK SPORT RDST.

New tires; good motor; $125 cash. FOR-2941W.

BUICK SPORT ROADSTER

Standard 6; rumble seat; original finish; like new. SCHNURE-BUICK, 2218 Locust.

1926 BUICK ROADSTER

This is the famous light 6 car. Has all possible equipment in perfect condition throughout. Can be had at a real bargain.

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WEBER IMPLEMENT & AUTOMOBILE COMPANY

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CHEVROLET — 1927 roadster; rumble seat; bumpers; everything; bargains; terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

CHEVROLET—Roadster, late 1927, ex-tra; like new; $195; terms. 4568 Eas-ton.

CHEVROLET—Roadster, 1927, $225; coach, $195; touring, $85; others, $25 down. 4593 Easton. (c)

CHRYSLER—Roadster, 1928, 62; rumble seat; $285. Kirkwood 219W.

CHRYSLER 70—Roadster, 1927; demon-strator; $595; terms. 3851 Easton.

CHRYSLER—Roadster, late 1927, with rumble seat; you can't tell it from new; $475. Revol Motor Sales, 4118 Locust.

CHRYSLER—1926 roadster; classiest car in town; lots of extras. Hurry. Terms. KUHS-BUICK, 2837 N. Grand. Lindell 2900.

CHRYSLER "58"-"50" SPORT ROADSTER Driven 5200 miles; 5 months old; nearly 50 per cent off. 3114 Locust. (c)

CHRYSLER—Roadster, 1926; model 70, 5-passenger; very fine condition; terms, trade. Mendenhall 2215 Locust. (c)

CHRYSLER—1926 70 roadster; this par-ticular car is hard to find on used car market; $183 down or your old car down payment. Auburn Used Cars, Dept., 2007 Locust. (c)

CHRYSLER—1929 75 roadster, 2 weeks old; leaving city; must sell; will sacri-fice for quick sale. Factory guarantee; terms; trade. See Brock Garage, 4418 Olive.

CHRYSLER ROADSTERS

1927-70 roadster $668.00
1927 80 roadster $875.00
1926 70 roadster $335.00

Terms, trade. 3914 Locust st.

CHRYSLER ROADSTER

$2350 both repainted; reconditioned; new tires; priced to sell today.

EASTERN MOTORS, 5626 GRAVOIS.

CHRYSLER 70 RDST.

1926-27-28; a selection second to none guaranteed by the Chrysler distributor; as low as $250 down; 1927 model; a bargain-ance; best of terms; rumble seat.

CHRYSLER USED CAR STORES.
MIDWEST MOTORS, INC.
2928 Locust. JEfferson 4910.

Oh, Boy! Diana "8" Rds.

1927 model; a beauty; the last word; wire wheels, Khaki top; many extras; tell you about these cars; hurry. If you want it today for $295; easy terms; also 1927 roadster; Fords, Chevrolets and many others. YAHLEM, 1035 N. Grand.

JEWETT—Sport roadster; balloons; rum-ble seat; 4-wheel brakes; everything; $245; make offer. 3843 Easton. (c)

AUTOMOBILES
Roadsters For Sale

Look! A Hup Roadster

1927 model, this is the first Hup we've had for many months, two-tone job; runs like new; it won't be here long; also 1926 Gardner roadster, a beauty; lots of bargains left; get your for New Years; easy terms. YAHLEM, 1035 N. Grand.

MOON—For sale or trade for '29 Ford coupe. Call 8510 Mora lane. (c)

MOON—Short roadster, 1926; a beauty; $275. 3118 Locust. (c6)

MOON—Roadster; late model; fine shape; balloons; 4-wheel brakes; rumble seat; $915; terms 4568 Easton. (c)

NASH—1926 roadster; $350. 5801 Easton. (c)

1927 Nash Coupe-Roadster

5-pass.; like new; bargain; terms.
PIERCE-ARROW DISTRIBUTER.
DElmar 0188. Used Car Annex.
420 N. Euclid av. Open Sunday. (c)

Nash Roadster

1927 model Advanced 6; in A1 shape throughout; fully equipped; a real bargain.

OLIVER CADILLAC CO.,
JEfferson 3084. 3333 Locust.

PACKARD—Roadster; 6-cylinder; 1921 condition A1; best offer over $100 takes it. Demonstration. CAbany 2812J.

PIERCE-ARROW—Roadster, 4-passenger, $295; runs like a clock; a new Good-year tires; terms. Morris, 2810 Olive st.

PONTIAC—1928 sport roadster; only slightly used; selling at a bargain price. Clay Goodloe Auto Co., 5841 Delmar.

Pontiac Roadster, 1928—$125

Down. Price $525; run 3200 miles.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

REO—Sedan, excellent condition, balloon tires, $445. Steiner Fahrenkrog, 4000 Page.

STUDEBAKER—Roadster; late model; $5 down, 1903 Locust. (c)

1927 Studebaker Rdstr., $100

Down. Sport model de luxe; can't be told from new; special price today.

GUARANTY MOTOR CORP., 2936 Locust.

WILLYS-KNIGHT—Roadster, 1926; rum-ble seat, real class, $385; terms, 4593 Easton.

Wills Ste. Claire Roadster

Beautiful, late 1924; rumble seat; runs like new; sell for balance mortgage; $487.

MOTORISTS, 1834 Locust.

Sedans For Sale

BUICK—Sedan, 1926; all perfect condi-tion; trade; terms. 2800 McNair.

BUICK—Sedan Master 6, 20, 3153 Ohio av.

BUICK—Master 6 sedan, 1928 model; 5 new tires; excellent condition; private party. Colfax 0873W.

BUICK—Sedan; first-class condition; must sell at once. FOrest 1963W. 5119 Eu-clid.

BUICK—Sedan, master 6, 1927; you can't tell it has ever been used; $595. Royal Motor Sales, 4118 Locust. (c)

BUICK—1926, master sedan, 5 brand-new tires, original finish and splendid me-chanical condition; our low price $675; terms. Auburn Used Car Dept., 2007 Lo-cust. (c)

CHRYSLER—1926, sedan; beautifully equipped; $595; terms. 3851 Easton.

CHEVROLET—1927, in good condition; 6016 Maple.

CHEVROLET—Sedan, late model; A1 shape; $145; trade; terms. 1819 Sidney.

CHEVROLET—1927 sedan, like new; cheap; trade; terms. 2847 Wisconsin.

CHEVROLET—Sedan, late 1926; like new; $215; terms, 4557 Easton. (c)

CHEVROLET—Sedans, 5; 1926; like new; trade terms. 2800 McNair.

CHEVROLET—1928 sedan; just like new; must sell. FOrest 2036J. 5055 Terry.

CHEVROLET—Sedan, 1927; like new; $685; trade, terms. 3844 S. Broadway.

CHEVROLET—Landau, 1928 sedan, new; 1109 Hamilton.

CHEVROLET—Sedan, 1927, perfect con-dition; also coach. Grabe Motor, 3334 S. Grand.

CHEVROLET—Sedan, Fordor, 1927 mod-el, in good order for sale. 3262 N. 19th st.

CHEVROLET—Good condition; good rub-ber; has spare tire; winter front and heat-er. 3306 Commonwealth.

CHEVROLET—1927; fully equipped; tires, paint, motor perfect; priced right for quick sale; also other real buys. Triangle 5621 Gravois.

Chevrolet Sedan, 1925

If you want a real buy see this car today. Priced very low; $50 down.

HUDSON-FRAMPTON, 4823 Easton

CHEV. SEDAN, 1927

Excellent condition; looks new in every respect; special today only $145 cash, bal-ance in 12 months; also a 1926.

WEST SIDE BUICK CO.

Open evenings. 5142 Delmar. (c77)

1928 Chev. Sedan, $450

Just repossessed; 4-door; you can't beat 'em for speed, beauty or economy; hurry if you want it; get a closed car today; winter is here. Dodge sedan, Pontiac se-dan, Pontiac sedan and many others; lots of bargains to-day.

YAHLEM, 1035 N. Grand.

'27 CHEVROLET SEDAN

Driven only a few thousand miles; can't be told from new; priced low; terms; trade.

TATE MOTOR CO., Inc.
3041-43 Locust St.
Open nights and Sundays. JEfferson 9215

CHRYSLER—Sedan; late 1927; like new; trade, terms. 2800 McNair.

CHRYSLER 70—Sedan; real buy; $203; trade; terms. 1819 Sidney.

CHRYSLER 50 SEDAN

1 year old; reconditioned, repainted; looks and runs like new.

LASKER MOTORS, 5626 GRAVOIS.

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL 80.

4-passenger town sedan, 1928; 6 wire wheels. Well fordrew; 90 days old; run 4000 miles; positively cannot be distin-guished from brand-new; terms; trade.

THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

SAVE	1929	UNIVERSAL 3229 LOCUST
$100	DeSotos Plymouths	All. Come in. We'll be glad to explain how we sell at re-duced prices.
Terms. Service Guar-antee.	Various Body Types. Colors.	

Chrysler Sedan

1927 sedan 79; in A1 mechanical shape; Duco finish; good tires, full equipment; attractive price.

OLIVER CADILLAC CO.
JEfferson 3084. 3333 Locust.

AUTOMOBILES
Sedans For Sale

Chrysler 70 Sedan, 1927

Overhauled and guaranteed. $200 down; price $700. MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

CHRYSLER 65 SEDAN

1929 model; first one offered for resale; guaranteed by the Chrysler distributor; substantial saving; 3000 miles.

CHRYSLER USED CAR STORE.
MIDWEST MOTORS, INC.
2928 Locust. JEfferson 4910.

DIANA—Straight eight; see this bargain. Normandy Motors, Inc., 7300 Natural Bridge. FLorrissant 2900.

DIANA S—Sedan; all new tires; motor, paint and upholstering tip-top; terms. KUHS-BUICK, 2837 N. Grand. Lindell 2900. (c83)

DIANA SEDAN

5-passenger, 1927; newly duced; in very good condition; to be sacrificed dur-ing our end of the year sale. Will trade your present car as part payment.

BENJAMIN MOTOR CO.,
STUTZ DISTRIBUTERS.
3021 Locust. JEfferson 0234 (c7)

DODGE—1926 sedan, like new, $245. 4593 Easton. (c)

DODGE—Sedan, 1926; like new; $285; trade, terms. 2834 S. Broadway.

DODGE—Sedan, sacrifice; good condition. 3434 Abner st. FLorrissant 3761. (c60)

Look! Diana 8 Sedan, $350

Looks like new; really worth $700; we have orders to sell today; don't miss this chance; trade or terms.

GUARANTY MOTOR CORP., 2936 Locust.

DODGE—Sedan, late model; real buy; $245; cash or terms. 1819 Sidney.

DODGE—Sedan; 1926; perfect shape; $325 cash or terms. Call Hiland 0777 for demonstration.

DODGE—1925 4-door sedan; extra fine; real solid; sacrifice; dirt cheap; $245 or $85 down. Kramer, 3816 W. Florissant.

DODGE—1926; tires, finish, leather up-holstering like new; used by private family, only $165 down, balance monthly. Brock Chrysler dealer, Olive-Taylor.

Dodge Senior Six Sedan

1928; $200 down; price $775; fully equipped. MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

South Side Buick

Dodge sedan; new tires; bargain. 3054 S. GRAND. LAclede 7004. (c83)

'28 DODGE SEDAN

Fast four; 4-wheel brakes; leather up-terms trade.

TATE MOTOR CO., Inc.
3041-43 Locust St.
Open nights and Sundays. JEfferson 9215.

'28 DODGE SENIOR SEDAN

Has new car appearance and perform-ance; fully equipped; 5 good tires; prices low. Terms, trade.

TATE MOTOR CO., Inc.
3041-43 Locust St.
Open nights and Sundays. JEfferson 9215.

1927 Dodge Sedan, $395

You can't go wrong on a Dodge; an all-year-round car that you can depend on; looks like new; upholstering perfect. See it today; also Pontiac sedan, 1928 Mo-mon sedan, 1928 Chevrolet sedan, and oth-er big bargains. YAHLEM, 1035 North Grand.

DODGE SEDANS

1926-27-28 fast fours; four to select from; as low as $195; cash or terms.

CHRYSLER USED CAR STORE.
MIDWEST MOTORS, INC.
2928 Locust. JEfferson 4910.

Dodge Senior 6 ..... only $429.

ESSEX—Sedan, 4-door, 1928; like new, $385; 1926, $135. 4593 Easton.

FIELDING—Sedan, 1927; cabin model; good large tube bumpers; a bargain. Clay Goodloe Auto Co., 5841 Delmar.

FORD—Sedan, 1929; low mileage; a bar-gain; terms; trade. Winters, 2317 S. Broadway. 1903 Sidney. (c)

ESSEX—'28 sedan, $550. Studebaker, 5-passenger, Coupe, $550. Whippet, 1927, 5 others, all bargains. Williams, 4807 Easton.

20 Essex Sedans and Coaches

Real bargains; terms. 3521 Page. (c)

FORD—Sedan, 1926; nice car; $165. 4593 Easton. (c)

FORD—Tudor, late '25; new rubber, only $95. 1843 S. Broadway.

FORD—Sedan, 1926; clean; $165. 2207 Lynch.

FORDS—5 sedans, reconditioned; $40 up. 2500 S. Jefferson. (c80)

FORD—1928 tudor sedan; model A; any-time Monday. 3833 Page.

FORD—Sedan, 4-door, 1928; like new; bir reduction. 2860 McNair.

FORD—1925 Tudor; like new, $100; trade, terms. 1847 Wisconsin.

FORD—Sedan, 1924; in good condition; only $75; $40, $60. Easton.

FORD—SIX sedans; '25, '26; repossessed; $95, $165; terms. 3842 Easton.

FORD—2 sedans; late 1926; like new; $150-$165. 2741 Gravois.

FORD—Tudor sedan; 1926; like new; $175; terms. 4593 Natural Bridge.

FORD—Sedan; real bargain; $35; two down. 1819 Sidney.

FORD—Sedan; good condition; 1926 mo-tor; $240. 2117A Victor.

FORD—Sedan, $125; coupe $195; road-ster, $20; touring, $85. Gaston.

FORD—1924 sedan; fair condition; $65. 1800 Montgomery. (c)

FORD—Fordor; rubber and motor per-fect; $325. $40 down. 4237 Easton. (c)

FORD—Sedan, 1926; cheap. PArkview 6430J. 7350 Dorsett. (c)

FORD—Sedan; late 1926; practically new; $190. 2704 McNair st. (c)

FORD—2-door sedan; dandy; cheap, $45. $13 down. Grappner, 3816 W. Florissant.

FORD—Tudor sedan; good rubber; good condition; $75. 4022 Arsenal st.

FORD—Sedan, 1925; balloons; sacrifice. $125. Kirkwood 219W.

FORD—1924 sedan; just overhauled; bar-gain. 2845 Salena st.

FORD—Sedans, new; prompt delivery. JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c80)

FORD—1926, touring sedan, dandy car; like new; $225; trade, terms. 4166 Olive. (c)

FORD—Tudor, late 1926; like new; $165; terms. 4557 Easton. (c)

FORD—Tudor, late 1927, like new; $195; terms. 4557 Easton. (c)

FORD—1927, 4-door; balloons; easy terms. 2106 Cass.

FORD—Tudor sedan, 1927; like new; bargain terms. 3114 Cass.

FORD—Sedan, late 1925; perfect; $95; also 1926, $70. 3856 Easton. (c)

FORD—Sedans, 10, 2-door and 4-door; 1926-1925; perfect condition; trade, terms. 2800 McNair.

FORD—Tudor, 1925; newly painted; motor overhauled; bargain, $127. Wal-ton.

FORD—Tudor sedan; 1928 model A; used very little; price right; easy terms. 3116 Cass.

FORD—Tudor, model A, 1928; like new; save money; lot extras; cheap; trade, terms. 3841 S. Broadway.

FORD—Tudor; late '26; new rubber; looks like new; $195; real buy; terms. 1843 S. Broadway.

FORD—Tudor, late 1925; runs perfect; guaranteed; $45 down; will trade. 2849 N. Grand. (c76)

FORD—Fordor, late model, refinished like new; a bargain; $125; $35 down. 2849 N. Grand. (c76)

FORD—Sedans; all models; nicest equip-ment in the city; easy terms; fully guar-anteed. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Sedan, model A, run little; color A. Sand, cream wheels; $490; trade; terms. 4166 Olive. (c)

FORD—Tudor, latest 1928 Model A; big reduction; $173 down; will trade. 2849 N. Grand. (c70)

FORD—1927, 5-pass. newly painted; clean wire wheels; like new; $25; terms, trade. 4166 Olive. (c)

FORD—1924, sedan, like new; $125. 1924 Ford sedan fordor. $125. 1925 Ford se-dan tudor, $165. 1926 Ford sedan tudor, $185. Ford guarantee; terms or trade. 1312 S. Grand.

FORD—Sedan, 1926 Tudor; bargain, $165. 1924 Fordor; runs good, $75; terms. Open Sunday and evenings. Tevis, 3001 Locust. (c)

FORD—4-door sedan; late 1927; wire wheels; first-class condition; been used very little; will sacrifice terms. Call to-day. 4502 Natural Bridge.

FORD TUDOR SEDAN, 1928

Like new. $150 down; guaranteed.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust. (c92)

MODEL A FORD TUDOR

1928 sedan; low mileage; guaranteed. THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

FORD SEDAN

Overhauled and new duco finish; priced right; terms.

SCHNURE-BUICK, 2218 Locust.

FORD TUDOR, 1926

Original finish; clean upholstery; motor very good; easy terms.

HUDSON-FRAMPTON, 4823 Easton

AUTOMOBILES
Sedans For Sale

FORD TUDOR SEDAN

1926; Hoodye shock absorbers; speed-ometer, lock wheel, parking light; excep-tional bargain; guaranteed.

THE BRODHEAD CO., 3318 Washington. JEfferson 7491. Open Sunday.

1927 TUDOR FORD

Fully equipped, wire wheels, new tires; a real bargain; terms.

PIERCE-ARROW DISTRIBUTER.
DElmar 0188. Used Car Annex.
420 N. Euclid av. Open Sunday. (c)

FORD—Tudor, model A; here is a bargain for you to save some money; painted in Arabian sand; cannot be told from new; guaranteed; only $475; terms. Other mod-els as low as $25.

CARONDELET MOTOR CO., 3807 S. Grand Always open.

GARDNER 90—Sedan; 8 in line; short coupled; 1928; beauty; cost $2600; low mileage; $895; $300 down; trade. Wil-liams, 4807 Easton.

GARDNER SEDAN

Used by officer of company; at a sub-stantial saving; terms.

TUTHILL-GARDNER MOTOR CORP.,
2745 Locust. (c)

'28 GRAHAM-PAIGE SEDAN

Driven only 2100 miles; can't be told from a new car; fully equipped; substan-tial reduction; terms; trade.

TATE MOTOR CO., Inc.
3041-43 Locust St.
Open nights and Sundays. JEfferson 9215.

HUDSON—Sedan, 1927; $700; an excep-tional buy. 7195 Manchester. (c74)

HUDSON—1926 Fordor sedan; A1 condi-tion; looks like new; only $450. 4050 Easton ave. (c)

20 Hudson Sedans and Coaches

Real bargain; terms. 3521 Page. (c)

HUDSON

$595 CASH

Buys this 28 model super-six 4-door se-dan in the original finish and fully equipped. The best buy in the city.

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FURNITURE—Stoves, curtains, rugs and miscellaneous. 2002 Keokuk.

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WILL sell 10 shares of Missouri Industries $10 share; guaranteed dividends. J. J. O'Brien, 4646 Natural Bridge. (c)

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Save half the money on socks. Write Charles Augustus Siesel, Box 603, Central Station, St. Louis, Mo.

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Established tire, battery and radio business, with five years standing in city of $60,000 and located on one of the main traffic ways, doing a volume in excess of $50,000 a year at present. This business will earn $6000 to $10,000 profit per year. This store is at present owned by a large distributing corporation, that desires to discontinue direct contact with the retail trade. $15,000 will handle. If interested, please address financial qualifications to handle. Box J-248, Post-Dispatch.

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Mr. Moore, room 946, Statler Hotel, after 9 a. m. Monday.

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BAKERY Wtd.—Small; for beginner. Box R-393, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS wtd.—Any business will be considered; will pay cash. Write at once if you want to sell. P. O. Box 858. (c)

CHAIN STORE CORPORATION WILL BUY STORES HANDLING DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, READY-TO-WEAR AND GENERAL STORES. GIVE FULL PARTICULARS. Box R-1220, POST-DISPATCH.

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CONFECTIONERY Wtd.—Must have good proposition; will buy. Box R-157, P.-D. (c7)

CONFECTIONERY Wtd.—Small line, with living room; reasonable terms. Box R-252, Post-Dispatch.

DYEING AND CLEANING PLANT Wtd.—Good place with high-class trade; will pay cash if priced right; west or south. Box H-237, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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GROCERY, dry goods or hardware store wanted; will buy for cash; must be cheap. Box H-220, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GROCERY STORE Wtd.—Have excellent city income property; exchange for good business. Box R-74, Post-Dispatch.

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BARBER SHOP—2 chairs; low price for quick sale. Lindell 9310. (c)

BUSINESS FOR SALE

BARBER SHOP—For sale or rent, and pool room; terms to suit. Phone GRand 7360. (c)

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BROADWAY, 3540 S.—Confectionery; must be sold at once; bargain. (c)

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CANDY ROUTE—Make offer; must sell quick; cheap at $800; terms very good money-making chances. GUTH, 5988 Julian.

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CLEANING AND PRESSING ESTABLISHMENT—Sacrifice for quick sale. See and estimate. G. S. Tourville, 3000 S. Broadway. (c80)

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Near East All Benefit From Estate of Charles M. Hall "Father of Aluminum."

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The $10,000,000 residuum of the estate of the late Charles M. Hall, "father of aluminum," is to be distributed by his trustees to higher educational institutions of the Near East and the Orient, the trustees announce.

Their action is in line with the stipulation in Hall's will that the money be used for "educational purposes in Japan, Continental Asia, Turkey and the Balkan States of Europe." The trustees are Arthur V. Davis of Pittsburg and Homer H. Johnson of Cleveland.

The 21 institutions among whom the money is to be distributed are:

JAPAN—Kobe College Corporation, St. Luke's International Hospital and College of Nursing, and Cooperating Board for Christian Education in Chosen, Inc.

INDIA—American College, Madura and Allanabad Agricultural Institute.

NEAR EAST—American University of Beirut, American College for Girls at Constantinople, Robert College of Constantinople, International College of Smyrna, Athens College in Greece, Anatolia College, Thesalonica Agricultural and Industrial Institute and Albanian-American School of Agriculture.

CHINA—Oberlin-Shansi Memorial Association, Harvard-Yenching, Lingnan University, West China Union University, University of Nanking, Fukien Christian University and Shantung University.

Mr. Hall, a resident of Niagara Falls, N. Y., died in 1914. He was the inventor of the process of which aluminum is made. He was a major stockholder in the Aluminum Co. of America and allied corporations.

The principal part of the estate was distributed several years ago to beneficiaries designated in the will.

SAYS BOULDER DAM PROJECT IS POSSIBLE PERIL TO FARMERS

Head of Kansas Agricultural College Urges Semitropical Fruits in Colorado Basin.

By the Associated Press.

MANHATTAN, Kan., Dec. 29.—Development of the Boulder Dam project on the Colorado River is viewed by F. D. Farrell, president of Kansas Agricultural College, as a possible menace to the prosperity of farmers of the Middle West.

In a statement today Farrell said that the opening up of vast areas of irrigated land in the Colorado River basin would bring that section into direct competition with the farm products of the Middle West unless a program was worked out for growing crops not raised in the middle west.

Farrell advocated the production of dates and other semi-tropical crops in the Colorado River basin to prevent competition which he said would be harmful to both regions.

On reclamation projects, he said, the Government, in effect, subsidizes farm operations and this he held had been a factor in the overproduction of important commodities with consequent price depressions.

U. S. SEEKS REVIEW OF SUITS ARISING FROM S-51 SINKING

Supreme Court Asked to Pass on Damage Actions Brought by Estates of Victims.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — The United States asked the Supreme Court today to refuse to review suits for damages brought against the Government by the estates of naval officers lost in the sinking of the submarine S-51, contending that officers and enlisted men injured at sea on naval vessels, and their families, when death results from the accident, are prohibited from suing the Government.

The brief, signed by Solicitor-General Mitchell, held that the decision of lower Federal courts which dismissed suits brought by the estates of Lieut. Rodney H. Dobson, captain of the S-51; Lieut. James D. Hasselden Jr. and Ensign Edmund W. Egbert, should be allowed to stand.

PARTY WOULD PLACE BOY, 16, ON THRONE OF HUNGARY

By the Associated Press.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Dec. 29.—The Legitimist party of Hungary will begin active campaigning in June for the return of the former Prince, Archduke Otto, and his election to the vacant throne of Saint Stephen, it was revealed here today.

The 16-year-old Archduke already has the coronation robe, sent to him by the Legitimist party, which also recently dispatched a court photographer to the tiny fishing village of Leguetio, Spain, where Otto is living with his mother, former Empress Zita, and the rest of the family, in humble circumstances.

The photographer will take 192 pictures of the Archduke in State robes and many other poses, representing the youth as a field marshal, as an officer of the Imperial Hussars regiment and as sitting at a desk studying Hungarian history. Other pictures will show him at conference with his mother, wearing an aug[illegible] and austere expression such as is suitable for a monarch. The camera studies will be used in an album which the Legitimists intend to circulate throughout Hungary.

The Legitimists maintain that Otto au[illegible]omatically becam[illegible]'ing of Hungary under an ancient hereditary rule when he reached his sixteenth year.

C. H. Duffer's Hip Fractured.

As Charles H. Duffer, 70-year-old clerk in the office of the Recorder of Deeds opened a front door of the City Hall yesterday evening to permit a woman to enter, he slipped and fell to the stone floor, suffering a fracture of the left hip. At city hospital physicians said his condition was serious. He lives at 4162 Washington boulevard.

NATIONAL MEETING ON 'FLU' SUMMONED

Health Officials of All States and Scientists Asked to Gather, Probably in January.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Health officials of all the states and 10 other outstanding scientists have been invited by the Public Health Service to attend a national conference, probably in January, to devise methods of controlling the present influenza epidemic and others in the future.

The invitations, sent by telegraph, have already brought acceptances from 46 State and city officials. Three specific purposes of the conference, as outlined by officials of the Public Health Service, are:

1—To emphasize the necessity for additional research on influenza.

2—To clarify and standardize information of the disease which is to be submitted to the public during epidemics.

3—To assist in completion of plans for an extensive field study of the present outbreak.

Statisticians of the Public Health Service declared today that for the country as a whole the peak of the present epidemic probably has been reached, but that this general average does not portray the regional situation, as a decline seems started in Western Mountain and North Central states, while the wave has "scarcely begun" in New England.

A belated report from South Carolina place the number of new cases reported last week at 9662. Requests for a large supply of booklets on influenza issued by the Federal Government in 1918 came from Portland, Me., and were interpreted to indicate a spread of the disease there.

When the health conference is convened, public health officers will submit to it plans for a nationwide survey of conditions to be executed on a house-to-house canvas basis and involving intensive laboratory studies.

Coupled with this field work, the Public Health Service plans to carry on laboratory studies.

Estimates Tennessee Has 75,000 Cases of Influenza.

By the Associated Press.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 29.—A total of 19,051 cases of influenza has been reported in Tennessee since Dec. 2, Dr. E. L. Bishop, State Health Commissioner, announced today. "This number probably represents not more than one-fifth to one-fourth of the total cases," he added

-:- ADDITIONAL SPORT NEWS -:-

OUTSTANDING EVENTS OF YEAR IN SPORT REALM

The Associated Press presents herewith a resume in brief of the outstanding events in various branches of sport during 1928:

Baseball—Second successive clean sweep of world's series by New York Yankees, giving Babe Ruth & Co. eight straight over National League opposition furnished by Pirates and Cardinals; Ruth fell short of home run record, but hit .54 during season and three in last game of world's series; most valuable player prizes awarded to Jim Bottomley of Cards and Mickey Cochrane of Athletics; Rogers Hornsby traded by Braves to Chicago Cubs, Bill McKechnie replaced by Bill Southworth as manager of National League champion Cards and Walter Johnson recalled to manage Washington, Bucky Harris going to Detroit as successor to George Moriarty.

Boxing—Gene Tunney's retirement and marriage, after knocking out Tom Heeney in last title fight; Dempsey's retirement, which may be interrupted to ranother shot at some opposing chin in 1929; minimum of championship activity but passing of feather crown from Tony Canzoneri to Andre Routis, defeat of Jimmy McLarnin by Sammy Mandel in lightweight title bout, and of Ace Hudkins by Mickey Walker in defense of middleweight honors; upset of Risko, Hansen and others.

Football—New record crowd of 122,000 at Soldier's Field, Chicago, for Navy-Notre Dame game; Georgia Tech, Boston College and Detroit only major teams neither defeated nor tied in season otherwise filled with upsets; big intersectional victories scored by Stanford, Oregon State and Southern California for Far West; race for all-America backfield honors won by Dutch Clark of Colorado College, Red Cagle of the Army, Chuck Carroll of Washington and Ken Strong of New York University, the high individual scorer of year with 161 points.

Golf—Bobby Jones wins national amateur fourth time in five years, besides leading U. S. Walker cup team to 11—1 victory over British; Walter Hagen captures British Open for third time and Glenna Collett, although beaten abroad, wins American women's crown for third time; Leo Diegel upsets Hagen in P. G. A. after four in row.

Polo—New United States Big Four, revamped several times and led by Tommy Hitchcock, wins championship of Americas by beating Argentina in two out of three matches; Devereaux-Milburn retires.

Rowing — California's eight sweeps college seas at home, winning at Poughkeepsie over 1927 champions of Columbia, prior to crowning triumph in Olympics; U. S. wins Olympic regatta; Yale turns tables on Harvard at New London; Bobby Pearce, Australia Olympic sculling champion, and Joe Wright Jr., Canada, winner of Diamond Sculls.

Swimming—Johnny Weissmuller remains king of men sprint swimmers, at home as well as in Olympics, but supremacy of Martha Norelius among women free-style stars challenged by Albina Osipowich, Olympic 100-meter champion, and Eleanor Garratti, national 100-meter winner; U. S. captures Olympic team honors.

Tennis—France retains Davis cup, beating United States, 4—1, in challenge round in which Bill Tilden won only match, from Lacoste, after being suspended from team over player-writer row and restored temporarily for final play; Henri Cochet wins U. S. singles title for France third straight year; Helen Wills supreme again in women's ranks; Lott and Hennessey spring sensation to keep U. S. doubles from foreign threats.

Track and Field—U. S. wins Olympic team championship but loses prestige in track events, only victory being turned in by Ray Barbuti in 400 meters; Kuck, Carr, Hamm, Morgan Taylor and Bud Spencer break world's records at home and abroad; Lloyd Hahn brilliant indoors but beaten badly in Olympics; Joie Ray turns marathon runner, winning one of tryout races in record time but loses to El Ouafi, French Arab, in Olympics; Stanford captures I. C. A. A. A. title second straight year.

FAVORITES WIN IN NATIONAL JUNIOR TENNIS TOURNAMENT

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 29.—Richard Murphy, Utica, N. Y., and Kendall H. Cram, Nashville, Tenn., were still favorites in their respective divisions tonight after winning their matches today in the junior and boys' national indoor tennis championships.

In the junior division, Murphy eliminated Stanley Harte, New York, 8—6, 6—1, in the quarter final round set. Cram defeated Mark Hecht, New York, in the boys' division semifinals by a score of 6—4, 6—2.

In the doubles play Murphy and Cram both played on winning teams today. Spectators expressed the belief that Murphy and Cram will win the singles championships in their divisions and will also be members of the winning doubles teams when the finals are played Monday.

CHAMPIONS OF THE SPORT WORLD FOR 1928

Baseball.

World champions—New York Yankees.
American League—New York Yankees.
National League—St. Louis Cardinals.
American League most valuable—Gordon Cochrane, Athletics.
National League most valuable—Jim Bottomley, Cardinals.
A. L. batting champion—"Goose" Goslin, Washington.
N. L. batting champion—Rogers Hornsby, Boston.
A. L. pitching leader—Alvin Crowder, Browns, 21 won, 5 lost.
N. L. pitching leader—Larry Benton, New York, 25 won, 9 lost.
Little world series—Indianapolis.
Dixie championship—Houston.
Municipal—Hoffmeisters.

Boxing.

Heavyweight—No champion; Gene Tunney retired.
Light-heavyweight — Tommy Loughran.
Middleweight—Mickey Walker.
Welterweight—Joe Dundee.
Junior welter—Mushy Callahan.
Lightweight—Sammy Mandell.
Junior lightweight—Tod Morgan.
Featherweight—Andre Routis of France.
Bantamweight—No champion.
Flyweight — Corporal Izzy Schwartz.

Tennis.

MEN.

Davis Cup—France.
American singles — Henri Cochet.
Wimbledon singles—Rene Lacoste, France.
United States doubles—George Lott and John Hennessey.
Wimbledon doubles — Cochet and Bruegnon, France.
National municipal — George Jennings.
National Municipal doubles—George Jennings and Ralph Rice.
District—Wray Brown.
District doubles — Wray Brown, Teddy Eggman.
Municipal—Ted Drewes.
Municipal doubles — Ted Drewes and William Bascom.
Missouri Valley—Wray Brown.
Missouri Valley doubles — Brown and Eggman.
District junior—Junior Bochmer.
District junior doubles—Bascom and Semple.
District boys'—Warren Davis.
Municipal junior — Vernon Trefjen.
Municipal Junior doubles — Postroy and Bascom.
Municipal Boys' — Warren Davis.
Professional—Karel Kozebuh.

WOMEN.

National singles—Miss Helen Wills.
Wimbledon singles — Miss Helen Wills.
French singles—Miss Helen Wills.
National doubles—Miss Helen Wills and Mrs. George Wightman.
Wimbledon doubles — Phoebe Watson and Peggy Saunders, England.
District singles—Miss Ruth Bailey.
District doubles—Misses Endicott and Hagemeyer.
Municipal singles—Miss Ruth Bailey.
Municipal doubles — Misses Endicott and Hagemeyer.

Golf.

MEN.

National Amateur — Bobby Jones.
National Open—Johnny Farrell.
British Open—Walter Hagen.
Canadian Open—Leo Diegel.
National Professional — Leo Diegel.
National Public Links—Carl Kaufmann.
Trans-Mississippi — Arthur Bartlett.
Western Amateur — Frank Dolp.
Western Open—Abe Espinosa.
Mid-America Open — Al Espinosa.
Missouri Amateur — Elliott Whitbread.
Missouri Open—Clarke Morse.
District Amateur — Jimmy Manion.
District Open—Jimmy Manion.
District Junior—Robert Isherwood.
Municipal—Eddie Donohue.

WOMEN.

National—Miss Glenna Collett.
Trans-Mississippi—Mrs. O. S. Hill.
Western—Mrs. Harry Pressler.
District—Mrs. Mahlon B. Wallace Jr.

Billiards.

18.2 balkline—Edouard Horemans.
Three cushions—John Layton.
Pocket billiards—Frank Taberski.

Olympic Games.

TRACK AND FIELD.

100 meters—P. Williams, Canada.
200 meters—P. Williams, Canada.
400 meters — Ray Barbutti, United States.
800 meters—D. G. A. Lowe England.
1500 meters—P. Larva, Finland.
5000 meters—Willie Ritola, Finland.
10,000 meters—Paavo Nurmi, Finland
Marathon—El Ouafi, France.
110-meter hurdles—S. J. M. Atkinson, South Africa.
400-meter hurdles — Lord Burghley, England.
3000-meter steeplechase — A. Loukola, Finland.
400-meter relay — United States.
1600-meter relay—United States.
High jump — Robert King, United States.
Broad jump—Ed Hamm, United States.
Hop, step and jump — Oda, Japan.
Pole Vault—Sabin Carr, United States.
Hammer throw—Pat O'Callaghan, Ireland.
Discus throw—Bud Houser, United States.
Javelin throw—P. Lundquist, Sweden.
Shot put—John Kuck, United States.
Decathlon—J. Yrjoela, Finland.
Pentathlon — H. Lindman, Sweden.

WOMEN

100 meters—Miss E. Robinson, United States.
800 meters—Fraulein L. Rudke, Germany.
400-meter relay—Canada.
High jump—Miss Catherwood, Canada.
Discus throw—Mlle. Konopacka, Poland.

SWIMMING

100 meters—Johnny Weissmuller, United States.
400 meters—Zorilla, Argentina.
1500 meters—Arne Borg, Sweden.
100 meter backstroke—George Kojac, United States.
200-meter breast stroke—Tsuruta, Japan.
Diving—Paul Des Jardines, United States.
800-meter relays — United States.

WOMEN

100 meters—Miss Osipowich, United States.
400 meters—Miss Martha Norelius, United States.
400-meter relay — United States.
100-meter backstroke—Mlle. Braun, Holland.
200-yard breast stroke—Fraulein Hilda Schrader, Germany.
High diving — Miss Helen Pinkston, United States.

BOXING

Flyweight—A. Koczis, Hungary.
Bantam—V. Tamagnini, Italy.
Feather—L. Van Klaveren, Holland.
Light—C. Orlandi, Italy.
Welter—E. Morgan, New Zealand.
Middle—P. Toscani, Italy.
Light-heavy—V. A. Vendano, Argentina.
Heavy—H. Rodriguez, Argentina.

ROWING.

Singles—H. R. Pearce, Australia
Eight-oared shell — United States.
Double sculls—United States.
Pair oared with coxswain—Switzerland.
Four-oared shell—Italy.

FENCING.

Foils—L. Gaudin, France.
Foils (women)—Fraulein H. Meyer, Germany.
Sword—L. Gaudin, France.

Wrestling.

World Champion—Ed "Strangler" Lewis.

Soccer.

National—Fall River, Mass.
St. Louis Soccer League—Jaalers.
Municipal—Angelicas.
Olympic game—Uruguay.

Football.

St. Louis collegiate—Washington.
High school—Soldan and Roosevelt (tied).
County—University City.
Prep League—Country Day.
Big Six—Nebraska.
Missouri Valley—Drake.
Big Ten—Illinois.
Southern—Georgia Tech.
Pacific Coast—Southern California.
Southwestern—Texas Aggies.
Rocky Mountain—Utah Aggies.

Racing.

Three-year-old—Reigh Count.
Two-year-old—High Strung.
Kentucky Derby Winner—Reigh Count.
Fairmount Derby Winner—Misstep.

Bowling.

MIDWEST.

Five-Man—Oh Henrys, Chicago.
Two-Man—O. Stein-R. Nelson, St. Louis
Singles — E. Meyer, Indianapolis.
All-Events—E. Shantz, Chicago.

AMERICAN BOWLING CONGRESS.

FiveMan—Oh Henrys, Chicago.
Two-Man—Will and Joe Hradek, Cicero, Ill.
Singles—Henry Summers, St. Louis.
All-Events—Phil Wolf, Chicago.

Hockey.

National League—New York Rangers.
American Association — Minneapolis.
Olympic Games—Canada.

JACK GORDON AGAIN REACHES FINALS OF SQUASH TOURNAMENTS

Jack Gordon has reached the finals of the squash racquets and tennis handicap tournaments at the University Club courts for the second successive season. Having won his semifinal match in the racquets division last week, he advanced to the final of the tennis tournament by defeating Lou Dennig yesterday in straight games, 18—16, 17—15, 18—17.

In the squash tennis tournament final Gordon will meet the winner of the match between Russell Murphy and the survivor of the encounter between Paul Goessling and Andy McCreery. Russell Murphy eliminated Roland Hoerr yesterday 15—12, 16—15, 15—3.

Truman Walker won the right to meet Jack Gordon in the final of the squash racquets tournament by rallying after a poor start to defeat E. R. Joslyn yesterday. The scores were 10—15, 15—10, 15—11, and 18—16.

In Class B squash tennis, Ralph Fischer won from Dr. Stewart, 15—9, 15—11, 15—10. He will play Dr. McMahon in the final next Saturday.

MIAMI TOURNEY TO OPEN FLORIDA WINTER PROGRAM

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 30.—Sports of summertime have moved South for the winter.

After a warm-up of pro-amateur matches the high deacons of golf will assemble for the annual Miami Beach open championship with a $3000 mellon to be cut on Jan. 11 and 12. This will be but an appetizer to the men's and women's amateur events in February, and the papa of all monetary golfing events, the $15,000 Miami Beach-La Gorce open from March 18 to 23. Three days and three courses will be devoted to whittling the expected large field down to 64 starters in the gold rush.

A tennis trophy that is nicked with such names as Tilden and Hunter will fetch down top-notchers and youngsters who would like to be known in the home town as the South Florida tennis champion.

Tex Rickard has gone to the dogs this year, and with cement and architectural skill reared a hound track in the midst of a tropical garden spot. The canines will foot it after an electrically-induced rabbit in a futile effort to catch up with it, and incidentally give the sun seekers fodder for differences of opinions. The men who reduced human sitting to a fine and frugal art, sees room for 50,000 customers within the gates of this picturesque track, and promises a Stribling-Sharkey fight in February.

But in event these few trinkets from a winter jewel box of sports do not drive the enthusiast out of his overcoat and ear muffs into vinegar and sunburns, the honorable H. O. D. Seagraves is fetching a 100-mile per hour speedboat, the "Miss England," to Miami Beach in March to have his fling against the gray-haired protector of American racing honors, Gar Wood. Wood will offer the Miss America-VII, his latest and fastest creation, in defense.

BIG SIX PLAYERS GO THROUGH FINAL STRENUOUS WORKOUT

By the Associated Press.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 29.—While the southwest all-stars were proving their mettle by downing an eleven of minor college stars today at Fort Worth, the Big Six all-stars of Coaches Ernest Bearg and Bo McMillin went through their final sharp practice here in preparation for their New Year's Dallas benefit clash with the Southwest team.

It was a long, hard drill. For more than an hour Bearg scrimmaged his huskies and held a lengthy signal rehearsal.

If the lineup which ran signals today remains intact, the Big Six eleven will use this array against the Littlefield-Belt team:

Ashburn (Nebraska) and Rud (Iowa State), ends; Lyons (Kansas) and Smith (Missouri), tackels; Olson (Kansas) and Holm (Nebraska), guards; James (Nebraska), center; Byers (Missouri), quarterback; Haskins (Oklahoma) and Mehrle (Missouri), halfbacks; Lindbloom (Iowa State), fullback.

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Violet M. Clifford ..... 1224 Hebert
Robert Tyler ..... 1023 N. Leonard
Mrs. Inez B. Clinton ..... 1023 N. Leonard
Chas. D. Miller ..... 3709 French
Mrs. Bertha Hackerwood ..... 5400 Arsenal
Clyde E. Jones ..... Ferguson
Mrs. Demaria Davis ..... 4807 Labadie
Clifford B. Hayes ..... 5473 Janet
Beulah M. Martin ..... Wallonville, Ill.
John D. Greene ..... Webster Groves
Mrs. Ida Razor ..... St. Louis
David Tucker ..... 2011 N. 13th
Blanche Moreland ..... 2109 N. 12th
Walter H. Hahn ..... 1919 S. Grand
Dorothy Walther ..... 2857A Victor
Amos Greenlee ..... 2502 E. 7th
Estelle Richter ..... 1726 California
Paul Jones ..... 2616 St. Louis
Helen T. Ronan ..... 4331 Evans
Antonio Pietrzen ..... 2731 Amelia
Hadwig Andruckewicz ..... 5708 Amelia
Jean Everett Beck ..... 4551 McPherson
Agnes Marcet Brundies ..... 4618A McPherson
Chas. Helfrich ..... 2503 Manhattan
Marybell Rice ..... 7048 Lindenwood
Aubrey Johnson ..... St. Louis
Margaret Koehl ..... St. Louis
Leonard E. Hardy ..... 6258A Warren
Mrs. Teresa E. Russell ..... 6258A Warren
L. Willing Wood ..... 329 B'dway
Evelyn L. Hart ..... 3428 Russell
Chester Gross ..... 2701 Park
Mrs. Flora Atwell ..... 1114 S. 4th
Joe R. Strickler ..... 1911 S. 18th
Gertrude E. Richardson ..... 2703 S. 9th
Victor Wolf ..... 4348 Garfield
Sedonia Hodges ..... 4228A W. Lucky
Bernard Knelange ..... 1854 N. Taylor
Eleanor McMullen ..... 1824 N. Taylor
Arthur W. Zimmerman ..... 4237 McPherson
Mrs. Fern Zalman ..... 4234 Maryland
Chas. Macke ..... 511 N. Garrison
Edna Graber ..... 2517 Blair
Arthur Wm. Schriefer ..... 2627 Allen
Mrs. Nina M. Easton ..... 2735 Geyer

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Walter Ziegler—Myrl Davis.
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Emmett Bond—Ruth Mayhew.
Elber E. Reeves—Ethel Gain.
Edward Moliet—Lena Schmidt, St. Louis.

BIRTHS RECORDED.

BOYS.

G. and M. Carroll, 1606 Glasgow.
A. and W. Curry, Peaky, 2714 Lawton.
H. and M. Storr, 4057 Cleveland.
J. and L. Pytlinski, 2925 Liberty.
G. and L. Ramirez, 1407 Walsh.
C. and H. Carpenter, 3914 Labadie.
C. and C. Mohesky, 4823A Northland.
C. and D. Gray, 6415 Nashville.
R. and D. Grobe, 4816 Park.
F. and E. Stewart, 6009 Oleatha.
R. and R. Schwartz, 4711A Kensington.
B. and C. George, 4124 De Tonty.
W. and L. Hicks, 3540A Nebraska.
M. and E. Dresner, 1301 Dillon.
F. and H. Croun, 3832 Kennerly.

GIRLS.

W. and L. Holt, 1636 Gay.
W. and A. de Guire, 2731 Spalding.
J. and J. Goehler, 3804 S. Florissant.
J. and J. Schmann, 1920 Overon.
H. and L. Hover, 2009A De Soto.
H. and R. Rock, 2536A Nebraska.
A. and M. Pourmon, 3016 Lindell.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Bernard Susman, 54, 7200 Westmoreland.
Fay McDonough, 31, 2200 Arundel.
Samuel Losseck, 62, 2039 Obear.
Henry Hockamp, 60, unknown.
Laverna Cresswell, 14, Missouri Baptist Sanitarium.
Isabella Asher, 91, 4806 LeDuc.
Charles A. Wieting, 66, 1620 Arlington.
Tona Shelton, 9 months, 3429 Walnut.
John Mikasko, 1, 3801A McRee.
Dwight D. Currie, 47, 2753 Pershing.
Simon Windrow, 46, 33 S. Compton.
Crawford Williams, 26, 3206 Pine.
Frances Sewell, 59, 2927 Adeline.
Frank Henry Jewell, 43, 5122 Page.
Dollie Dunn, 25, 3702 S. Jefferson.
Louise Keogh, 48, 5801 Southwest place.
Justice Dewyer, 80, 6128 S. Broadway.
Lizzie Williams, 70, 8115 Minnesota.
Hilda L. McCarthy, 19, 1309 S. Broadway.
Louis Keecher, 49, 3225 Robert.
Edward S. Williams, 58, 4644A S. Grand.
Frank Jozuiak, 67, 906 Tyler.
Joseph Spencer Miller, 9, 2306 Klemm.
Hattie Dalton, 39, 6238 Gratiot.
Mary Warren, 53, 2665 Southwest place.
Richard Schuster, 3 months, 6051 Bartmer.
Emilie Harsinger, 68, 4140A San Francisco.
Frederick Prendergast, 29, 5708 S. Broadway.
Mary Deck, 81, 4444A Athlone.
John Rozanski, 2, 2324 Farragut.
Donnell G. Ward, 5, 1828 Chouteau.
John Schieroth, 48, 4224A Easton.
Joseph Sabo, 58, 2906 Gratiot.
Horace Prosser, 73, 4134 Westminster.
John Douglas, 52, 4449 Cote Brilliante.
Barbara Fischer, 58, 4744 Goethe.
Julius Newman, 68, Kingsway Hotel.
Mary Aurelia, 74, 2209 Hebert.
Jane Mash, 5, Infirmary.
Otto Burgows, 52, 1701 S. Second.
Bernard Schulize, 58, 4107 Fairview.
Sylvester Gardner, 53, 2209 Carr.
James Mathews, 73, 4318 Garfield.
George Dale, 53, 1821 Coleman.
Peter Young, 83, 2513 S. Seventh.
Donald Dierker, 6 mo., 6729 Vermont.
Bart Haynes, 53, 123 Elm.
Alice Sommers, Jr., 2934 O'Fallon.
Jessie Moore, 39, 102 Moore.
Willie May Revels, 11 mo., 1625 Carr.
Mary C. Gardner, 53, 7813 Virginia.
Eva M. Stevens, 1, 1222 S. Fourteenth.
Henry Altrater, 64, 1918 S. 10th.
Ernest Vollrath, 83, 5513 S. 11th.
Minnie Steffan, 80, 4319 Hunt.
Andrew Garfield, 66, 1029A Sullivan.
John Blackstun, 73, 5719 Lee.
Mary Schwerdt, 60, 3532 Flora Court.
Mary Bronenkamp, 70, 245 Union bl.
Arthur Witzig, 55, 3140 Mairy.
Sam Cantanzaro, 56, 5516 Easton.
Joe Trainor, 65, 2844 Accomac.
William Hagerty, 25, 6029 Quiza.
John Else, 31, 5400 Oriole.
Walter Morris, 25, 6026 N. Broadway.

223 Births, 315 Deaths in Week.

There were 223 births and 315 deaths reported in St. Louis last week. Seventy-seven persons died of organic heart disease, 66 of pneumonia, 19 of cancer, 17 of diseases of the arteries, 16 of apoplexy, 21 of Bright's disease, 9 of tuberculosis and 5 of influenza. There were 3 suicides, 2 homicides and 7 accidental deaths.

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Berding, John.
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Blondin, Dorothy.
Bonnett, Fannie
Brakas, Christ
Breslin, William J.
Calliott, John V.
Carter, John S.
Darby, William N. Sr.
Delbruegge,
Fred W.
Detering, Walter C.
Dieckmann, Hugo G.
Doe, Thomas
Eichor, Clarisa.
Engel, Pansy
Fennerty, Gus M
Fette, Otto
Fischer, Henry F.
Gaffron, Dorathea
Greenwald, Selma
Hacay, Veronica
Hathaway-Ellen
Heimberger, Phillip.
Hirz, Harriet
Hobusch, Caroline
Hoffswell, Ralph A.
Janca, Joseph
Jansen, Wilehlmina
Keller, Charles
Kells, William
Knoll, Clara M.
Korando, Christine Marie
Lamkey, Frank L.
Lukezich, Dan.
Lundien, Alfred
Lusk, Emma B.
Lynch, Catherine Collins
McClanahan-Shular, Robert
McDale Mary
McDonald, K. Lucill.
Mohlman, Charles F.
Monahan, Rodger J.
Murphy, Joseph P.
Nelson, Edward W.
O'Malley, Patrick J.
Publ, Ruth Agnes
Raband, Magdalene
Richardson, Robert J
Robb, Caroline B.
Saak, Ida.
Salomo, Frank T.
Schira, Anna
Schlueter, Frank H.
Sheldon, Minnie.
Shickman, Mendel
Sikarski, Stanley
Stanley, Everett M.
Spann, Cordelia Ophelia
Spieler, Christian
Stelloh, Herman.
Straub, Herman
Tasche, Marie
Thoma, Joseph A.
Waechter, Arthur T.
Waldon, Vincentia M
Werner, Erwin O.
Westfall, Berry Clay
Wilder. Mary E.
Wilhelm, Joseph T.
Willmann, Joseph M

DEATHS

DELBRUEGGE, FRED W.—Of 2852 Penalozzi street, entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 2:45 p. m., dearly beloved husband of Elizabeth Delbruegge (nee Zapfl), dear father of Fred, Rose, John, Anna and Minnie Delbruegge and Mrs. Elizabeth Krueger, and our dear father-in-law, grandfather, brother, brother-in-law, son-in-law and uncle, age 61 years. Remains at Witt Brothers' chapel, 2929 South Jefferson avenue. Funeral Monday, at 3 p. m., to Park Lawn Cemetery. (c7)

DETERING, WALTER C.—Of 6050 West Florissant avenue, entered into rest, suddenly, on Saturday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 12:30 a. m., dear son of Casper H. and Marie Detering (deceased), and dear brother of Mrs. W. F. Pieper, Elsa and Oscar Detering and Clara Detering (deceased), our dear nephew, brother-in-law and uncle, in his thirty-sixth year. (c7)

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 2 p. m., from Dreihman-Hartzl chapel, 1905 Union boulevard, to Friedens Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Mount Moriah Lodge No. 403, A. F. and A. M., and Universal Craftsman Council of Engineers No. 25. (c7)

DIECKMANN, HUGO G.—Entered into rest, on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 4:30 a. m., beloved husband of Laura Irmin Dieckmann (nee Shields) and dear son of Mrs. Louisa Dieckmann and dear brother of Mrs. Emma Clemann, Mrs. William and Emil Dieckmann and our dear brother-in-law and uncle.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 3:30 p. m., from Bensiek Niehaus new funeral home, 1431 Union boulevard, interment Valhalla Cemetery.

DOE, THOMAS—Departed this life suddenly Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 5:15 p. m., beloved husband of Katie Brady McDonald Doe, dear father of Mrs. E. Keiser and our dear grandfather and father-in-law.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 8:30 a. m., from the Collins-Burgess, 3928 North Grand boulevard, to Old Cathedral Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

EICHOR, CLARISA—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 10:15 p. m., dearly beloved wife of Thompson H. Eichor, dear mother of Charles W., John H., Lottie B. Eichor, Mrs. Geneva Wilson, Mrs. E. Mabel Hay and William R. Eichor, and our dear mother-in-law, sister-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt, in her seventy-eighth year.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 31, at 11 a. m., from family residence, 6100A Gamblen to Valhalla Cemetery. Pleitsch service. (c7)

ENGEL, PANSY (nee Hartung)—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, beloved wife of Edward F. Engel, our dear mother, sister-in-law and aunt.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 31, at 2 p. m., from W. A. Stock funeral home, 2117 Lindell blvd. (c)

FENNERTY, GUS M.—At his residence, 5340 Cote Brilliante avenue, on Saturday, Dec. 29, at 5:50 p. m., beloved husband of Hannah Bunyan Fennerty and dear father of Gus M. Fennerty Jr. and the late Frank E. Fennerty, dear brother of Mrs. M. J. Mason, our dear father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from Geraghty funeral home, Lindell boulevard, at Boyle. Notice of time later. (c)

FETTE, OTTO—Of 2715 Arlington avenue, entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, at 7:30 p. m., beloved husband of the late Louise Fette, dear father of August J. Fette, Mrs. Ida Rauscher and Mrs. Louise Fette and Bertha Rauscher, dear brother of Mrs. Herman Fette and our dear father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather, in the 71st year.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 31, at 12:30 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to Zion's Evangelical Church, Clayton and Ballas roads. (c7)

FISCHER, HENRY F.—Of 3111 Bates street, on Thursday, Dec. 27, 1928, at 5:45 p. m., beloved husband of Nellie Fischer (nee Conroy) and father of Mrs. Ellen Tollefson (nee Fischer), our son-in-law, father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from the residence Tuesday, at 9 a. m., to Holy Ghost Church, thence to Mt. Olivet Cemetery. (c7)

FOLEY, DOROTHY—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 26, 1928, at 11:20 p. m., beloved daughter of Albert and Frances Korando (nee Vahatal), dear sister of Frances Brokopec, Edward, Michael, Joseph and Emil Korando, our dear sister-in-law and cousin.

Remains in state at Robert's parlors, 1905 South Grand boulevard, until Sunday, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church. Interment at Alton, Ill. Motor funeral. (c)

GAFFRON, DOROTHEA (nee Goebel)—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 4 p. m., beloved wife of Carl Gaffron, dear daughter of Sophia Goebel and the late Henry Goebel, dear sister of Mrs. Stella Schmidt, Mrs. Harry Stock Jr., Mrs. Cecil Osborn, Charlie, Mrs. Benjamin Winchel, Mrs. Charlotte Arbuthnot, and our dear sister-in-law and aunt; age 37 years.

Funeral from the Leidner chapel, 2023 St. Louis avenue, Monday, Dec. 31, at 1:30 p. m., to Valhalla Crematory. (c7)

GREENWALD, SELMA—Entered into rest, Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 4:30 a. m., late Samuel and Rose Greenwald, dear sister of Mrs. Louis Steiner and Ben Greenwald.

Funeral from the Rindskopf chapel, 5214 Delmar boulevard, Monday, Dec. 31, at 10 a. m., to Mt. Sinai Cemetery.

HACAY, VERONICA (nee Tabacik)—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, at 1:45 a. m., wife of John Hacay, dear mother of Carrie Harnes, Agnes Jansen, Joseph Hacay, Mayme Stone, Helen and Margaret Hacay, our dear daughter, sister, sister-in-law, mother-in-law, aunt and grandmother.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 8:15 a. m., from residence, 5305 Gilson avenue, to Holy Trinity Church, Ninth and Lafayette avenue, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

HATHAWAY, ELLEN—On Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at Clevedon, Somerset, England, of the late Thomas T. Hathaway, widow of Mrs. John Ellen and Mrs. Henry Richard Hathaway, and Mrs. Henry Richard, dear mother of Edward W. Hathaway, dear sister of Mrs. John Bell and Mrs. Henry Richard, services at Bellefontaine Cemetery, Monday, Dec. 31, at 11 a. m.

HEIMBERGER, PHILLIP—Of 2835A Indiana avenue, entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, dearly beloved husband of Lena M. Heimberger (nee Dierberger), dear father of August, John, Lawrence and Harry Heimberger, Mrs. Clara Delk, Mrs. Louise Brohammer, Mrs. Mary Bruns and Mrs. Frieda Ayers, and our dear father-in-law, grandfather, brother-in-law and uncle, age 70 years.

Remains at Witt Bros. chapel, 2929 South Jefferson avenue. Funeral Monday at 2:30 p. m.

HIRZ, HARRIET (nee Pancoast)—On Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 11:10 p. m., after a lingering illness patiently borne, beloved wife of Charles Hirz, dear sister of Mrs. Marie Holmes (nee Pancoast), Walter and Joe Pancoast, and our dear aunt, in the age of 46 years.

Funeral services from the Alexander & Sons chapel 6175 Delmar boulevard, on Monday, at 2 p. m.

HOBUSCH, CAROLINE—Entered into rest, Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 5:30 a. m., beloved mother of Ida Alfred, Emma Hobusch, and dear grandmother.

Funeral, December 31, at 2 p. m., at Heier funeral home, 4460 South Grand, to new Pickers Cemetery.

HOFFSWELLE, RALPH A.—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, beloved son of Henry A. Hoffswelle and dear nephew and cousin.

Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1929, at 8:30 a. m., from Stroot & Carroll funeral home, 4600 Natural Bridge avenue, to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. Interment SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

HUETTEMANN, RICHARD DIEDRICH—Asleep in Jesus Thursday, Dec. 27, 1928, at 11:20 p. m., beloved father of Henry, William, Christian, Mrs. William Bertram, Mrs. Sam Rowert, Mrs. Charles Herkenhoff, dear father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather, in his ninetieth year.

Funeral Tuesday, 1:30 p. m., from the Beidenwieden chapel, 1936 St. Louis avenue, to Bethlehem Evangelical Church, thence to New Bethlehem Cemetery. (c)

JANCA, JOSEPH—Age 57 years, of 4726 Pennsylvania avenue, entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, at 2 a. m., beloved husband of Mary Janca (nee Adamec), dear father of Joseph Janca Jr., Vlasta Miro and Elmar Janca, our dear father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 2 p. m., from Moydell mortuary, Missouri avenue, to Missouri Crematory. A memorial of Sokol Mount Pleasant, Lodge Sokol No. 23, C. S. P. and Lodge Joseph Burian No. 27, C. S. P.

JANSEN, WILHELMINA (nee Bruening)—Age 51 years, entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, at 10:45 a. m., beloved wife of John H. Jansen, dear mother of Mrs. E. J. Becht and Virginia Jansen, dear daughter of Helen Bruening, dear sister of D. W. Bruening and our dear grandmother.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 3 p. m., from family residence, Missionsgasse and Allen avenues, to Old St. Marcus Cemetery.

KAMPER, CAROLINE F. (nee Kennel)—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, at 4:30 p. m., dear sister of Dr. C. Kennel of St. Louis, and Lily B. Lansche of Truxton, Mo., dear aunt of Lily B. Lippert of Warrenton, Mo., Calla Mennell of Houston, Tex., Lulu Gill of Caruthersville, Mo., and W. W. Lansche, Daisy Hoech of Truxton, Mo., Harriet Lansche, Gladys and Archie Kennel of St. Louis, Archie, Charlie, and George Kennel, Edna Pugh of Cleveland, O., and our dear sister-in-law, aunt, grandaunt, great-aunt and grandaunt.

Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 1:30 p. m., from Ziegenhein-Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Tuscan Chapter No. 68, O. E. S. (c7)

KELLER, CHARLES—On Friday, Dec. 28, at 12:30 a. m., Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Keller, U. S. A. Besides his wife he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Charles Keller, his sisters Mrs. Fred E. Nelson, and Miss Sallie Keller, and San Antonio, Tex., and Mrs. John M. Morgan of Washington, D. C., and one brother, Lieut. Stanard Keller of Fort Benning, Ga.

Funeral from the Alexander & Sons chapel, 6175 Delmar, on Monday, Dec. 31, at 10:30 a. m. (c7)

KELLY, WILLIAM—Entered into rest Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 1:30 p. m., beloved brother of Mrs. Mary Kelly, John O'Brien and the late Joseph Kelly, our dear uncle and brother-in-law.

Funeral from Cullinane Bros.' funeral parlor, 1710 North Grand boulevard, Monday, Dec. 31, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Matthew's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

KNOLL, CLARA M. (nee Stumpe)—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 27, 1928, at 11:20 p. m., dearly beloved wife of Bernard Knoll, dear mother of Mrs. Mayme Pfeffle, Mrs. Richard Donahue, Mrs. Frank Garfield, Mrs. Francis Schmidt, Sister M. Cyrine, S. S. N. D., Anna, Bernard, Clara, Frank and the late John Knoll Jr., dear grandmother, great-grandmother and great-grandmother, at the age of 75 years.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 31, at 8:30 a. m., from Bromschwiz funeral home, 4740 West Florissant avenue, to Holy Ghost Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

KORANDO, CHRISTINE MARIE—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 9:30 a. m., beloved daughter of Albert and Frances Korando (nee Vahatal), dear sister of Frances Brokopec, Edward, Michael, Joseph and Emil Korando, our dear sister-in-law and cousin.

Remains in state at Robert's parlors, 1905 South Grand boulevard, until Sunday, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church. Interment at Alton, Ill. Motor funeral. (c)

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MOHLMAN, CHARLES F.—Aged 67 years, entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 2 p. m., beloved husband of Louisa (nee Peters), dear father of Louisa ney Mohlman and Mrs. Herbert G. McKillaney and our dear brother, brother-in-law and father-in-law.

Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 1, at 2 p. m., from Wm. F. Paschedag's chapel, 3825 North Grand boulevard, to St. John's Cemetery. (c)

MONAHAN, RODGER J.—Entered into rest Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, beloved husband of Winifred Eran Monahan, dear father of Mildred, Joseph, Lucille and Marie Sikarski, dear brother of Mrs. Fred Monahan, and brother of Kate Monahan.

Funeral from family residence, 4866 Labadie avenue, Monday, Dec. 31, at 8:30 a. m., to Blessed Sacrament Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

MURPHY, JOSEPH P.—At New Orleans, on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 9:30 a. m., beloved husband of the late Lucretia Montedonica Murphy, beloved son of the late Timothy and Mary Murphy, dear brother of James J., William J., Dennis T., Timothy M., John J., Edward P., Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Quinn and Mrs. T. Francis Campbell.

Funeral from the home of Mrs. T. Francis Campbell, 17 Southmoor Park, on Monday, Dec. 31, at 9:30 a. m., to Our Lady of Lourdes Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

NELSON, EDWARD W.—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 12:30 p. m., beloved husband of Emily (nee Brownlee), dear father of Mrs. T. E. Nelson, Mrs. Charles Nelson and the late Sarah A. Nelson, dear brother of James L. Nelson and the late Peter J. Nelson and Charles P. Nelson.

Funeral will take place from the Mullen chapel, 5165 Delmar boulevard, Monday, Dec. 31, at 2:30 a. m., to St. Matthew's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

O'MALLEY, PATRICK J.—At his residence, 4219 Maffitt avenue, on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 12:05 o'clock a. m., beloved husband of Margaret O'Malley (nee Purcell), dear father of Charles F., Eleanor M. and Catherine E. O'Malley, brother of Mary O'Malley and Mrs. Lyle A. Moler.

Funeral from Arthur J. Donnelly's parlors, 3846 Lindell boulevard, on Monday morning, Dec. 31, at 9:30 o'clock, to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of U. C. H. Division No. 1, Holy Name and St. Vincent de Paul Societies of St. Matthew's parish.

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RABAND, MAGDALENE—Of 1115 Geyer, entered into rest Thursday, Dec. 27, at 10:20 p. m., beloved wife of Christian Raband, dear mother of Mrs. Schaumburg and Mrs. E. P. Anglin (nee Raband), Ida, Frank and Edward Raband, dear sister, sister-in-law, mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt, at the age of 72 years.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 31, at 1:30 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to St. Paul's Churchyard.

RICHARDSON—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, Robert H. Richardson, of 2600 Cass avenue, dear husband of Sarah A. Richardson and our dear friend.

Funeral from Kriegshauser Chapel, 4104 Manchester avenue, on Monday, Dec. 31, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Oak Grove Cemetery. A member of Federal Lodge.

ROBB, CAROLINE B.—Entered into rest Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, beloved mother of James F. Robb and Mrs. Jennie B. Samuel.

Service at the residence, 6133 Westminster place, Monday, Dec. 31, at 3 p. m. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

SAAK, IDA (nee Wessel)—Of 4314A Maffitt avenue, entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 9:30 a. m., beloved wife of Herman W. Saak, dear mother of Mrs. Billy Murphey and Mrs. Edna Thiemann, dear daughter of Mrs. Emilie Wessel, our daughter-in-law, mother-in-law, sister, sister-in-law and aunt.

Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1929, at 2 p. m., from Math-Hermann & Sons' new chapel, Fair and West Florissant avenue, interment in Friedens Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Apollo Chapter No. 424, O. E. S. (c)

SALOMO, FRANK T.—Of 911 Pine avenue, on Thursday, Dec. 27, 1928, at 6:40 p. m., beloved husband of Johanna Salomo (nee Steinhaus), dear father of Frank Jr., Walter and Erwin Salomo, one dear father-in-law and grandfather, in his eightieth year.

Funeral from Wacker-Heiderle chapel, 3634 Gravois avenue, Monday, Dec. 31, at 10 a. m., to St. Matthew's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Meridian Lodge No. 2, A. F. and A. M. (c96)

DEATHS

SCHIRA, ANNA (nee Sutierer)—Of 3708 Bamberger avenue, passed on, Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 3 a. m., beloved wife of Ferdinand Schira, beloved mother of Mrs. Stella Hofer and Mrs. Hazel Brennan (nee Schira), dear daughter, sister, sister-in-law, mother-in-law, grandmother and aunt, at the age of 55 years.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 3 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to Sunset Burial Park. (c7)

SCHLUETER, FRANK H.—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, relict of Elizabeth Schlueter (nee Kappman), dear father of Mrs. Otto Ziegengeift and Mrs. Fred C. Henke our dear brother-in-law, father-in-law and grandfather.

Due notice of funeral from residence, 3209 Grey avenue. (c)

SHELDON, MINNIE (nee Scheske)—Entered into rest at residence, 8901 Florissant avenue, Overland, Mo., on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 9:30 p. m., widow of the late George Sheldon, beloved mother of Grover W. Sheldon and Mrs. Mary A. Good, dear sister of Mrs. Alma Harrison and Mrs. Emma Schwarzberg of San Francisco, Cal., and our dear aunt, at the age of 71 years.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 1:30 p. m. from the Geneva E. Bruce chapel, 5943 Easton avenue, to New Pickens Cemetery. (c7)

SHICKMAN, MENDEL—On Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, relict of Ida Shickman and dear father of Mrs. Eva Schucart, Mrs. Goldie Nolde, Samuel H., Morris, Meyer and Abraham Shickman.

Remains at Berger's chapel, 4715 McPherson avenue, until Monday morning, at 9 a. m. No flowers. (c)

SIKARSKI, STANLEY—Suddenly, on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, beloved son of Joseph and Katherine Sikarski (nee Cmar), dear brother of Mildred, Joseph, Lucille and Marie Sikarski.

Funeral from family residence, 1023 North Seventeenth street, on Monday, Dec. 31, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Joseph Church. Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

SLAGLEY, EVERETT M.—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 12:10 p. m., beloved husband of Anna Slagley (nee Scott), dear father of Mary Ann, Jessie Slagley, dear son of Mrs. Ada Vandeveer and dear brother of William Slagley and Glenn Vandeveer, and our dear son-in-law.

Funeral from Geraghty funeral home, Lindell boulevard at Boyle, on Monday, Dec. 31, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Calvary Cemetery. (c)

SPANN, CORDELIA OPHELIA—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 3:15 p. m., dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Minnie Hallbert, Charles F. and John J. Spann and our dear grandmother and mother-in-law, in her ninetieth year.

Funeral from residence, 3688 South Broadway, Monday, at 2 p. m., to Gibson Heights United Presbyterian Church. (c)

SPIELER, CHRISTIAN—On Friday, Dec. 28, beloved father of Mrs. Irwin Walther, Mrs. Charles Wickstein, Mrs. Ludwig and Mrs. C. Lucas, our dear grandfather and great-grandfather.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 3 p. m., from R. J. Schnur funeral home, 3125 Lafayette avenue to St. Matthew's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Mill Machinery Erectors Local No. 905.

STELLOH, HERMAN—Of 1825 Rauschenbach avenue, asleep in Jesus, Friday, Dec. 28, 1928, at 12:10 p. m., beloved husband of Louisa Stelloh (nee Rohlfing), dear father of Chester, Harold and Mildred Stelloh, dear father-in-law, brother, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 56 years, 4 months, 14 days.

Body will lie in state at the Beidenwieden chapel, 1936 St. Louis avenue, until Monday noon. Services same day, 2 p. m., at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Twenty-first and Benton. Interment New Bethlehem Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Concordia Aid Association, Branch No. 1. (c7)

STRAUB, HERMAN—At Detroit, entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 28, at 7:35 p. m., beloved husband of the late Louise Straub (nee Schuerman), dear father of Mrs. Louise Leupert, Mrs. Emma Uhl, Mrs. Lucia Gebhardt, Herman and George Straub, dear brother, brother-in-law, father-in-law, grandfather and uncle, at the age of 71 years.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 4 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to St. Paul's Churchyard. (c)

TASCHE, MARIE—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, beloved mother of John Mueller, O. W., Marcelle and Nell Tasche, our dear grandmother and mother-in-law.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 31, at 2 p. m., from the Kron chapel, 2707 N. Grand to Bellefontaine Cemetery. (c)

THOMA, JOSEPH A.—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 25, 1928, at Amarillo, Ia., beloved husband of Jeanette Thoma (nee Zlonicky), dear father of Mrs. H. G. Marandon, our dear nephew and cousin.

Funeral will take place from the Mullen chapel, 5165 Delmar boulevard, on Monday, Dec. 31, at 9:15 a. m., to St. Vincent's Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

WAECHTER, ARTHUR T.—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1928, at 4:10 a. m., beloved husband of Dorothy Waechter (nee Hameul

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SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Alfred Jackson, convicted of the crime of robbery in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, on the 14th day of June, 1927, and sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Jefferson City, have made application for parole and will be given a public hearing before the State Prison Board at said penitentiary on Feb. 11, 1929. All persons who favor or oppose said application are invited to communicate with said board on or before said date. (Signed) ALFRED JACKSON, Applicant. (c99)

PUBLIC NOTICE—State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss: This is to notify that I, Anton Jankowski, of 3329 Semple av., St. Louis, Mo., am not and will not be responsible for any debts made by my wife, Mrs. Julian Jankowski, who has left my home. ANTON JANKOWSKY.

SPECIAL NOTICE—I, Earl E. Geter, of City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, do hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date by my wife, Dorothy Geter. (Signed) EARL E. GETER.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

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SPECIAL NOTICE—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the State National Bank of St. Louis for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting, will be held at the banking room of said bank, Fourth and Locust streets, on the eighth day of January, 1929, from 10 a. m. to 12 noon.

H. L. STADLER, Secretary. (c10)

LOST AND FOUND

Miscellaneous Lost

BAG—Lost, with tools, unable to work without them; liberal reward. Bert Rook, LAclede 1808. (c7)

BAG—Lost: black silk, embroidered; keys, money; Wednesday evening. Grand vicinity. Keep money; return keys and bag. 2900 Pestalozzi. LAclede 4488. (c)

BEADED BAG—Lost; lady's gold and beaded bag; Saturday night, probably Odeon; reward, Cabany 3477W.

BOAT—Lost; 16-ft. Thompson speedster; green hull; mahogany deck; $25 reward. L. W. Gerling, CAbany 2509. (c80)

BIBLE—Lost; Sunday a week ago; on Bellefontaine car. 5319 Dewey.

BUMPER—From automobile, with license 414-982; please return; reward. Lindell 2625. (c)

BUNDLE—Lost; containing brown shoes and clothes. Leaving Bellefontaine car at 10th and Clinton Saturday p. m. Call CEntral 6065. (c)

CURRENCY—Lost: Sunday evening, between Grand Opera House and 4115A DeTonty or on Russell bus. Call GRand 1245; liberal reward. (c)

KEYS—Lost; downtown. Woolworth's, Dec. 22; phone Delmar 3604W.

MONEY—Lost; $10 by widow, Cherokee st. or near; Tuesday Market, Monday; reward. 3518A McKean.

LUMBER JACKET—Lost; green, 5-year size; Christmas; blind lady's; reward. Taylor 2293R. 2341A Sullivan.

MONEY—Lost; $10 bill, in front of 4673 Kossuth; Hiland 0315. (c)

PACKAGE—Lost; Christmas package was placed in wrong car 2300 S. Broadway, Dec. 24. Reward, 9600 S. Broadway.

PARTY who took radio from home is known; return immediately; no questions asked. (c1)

POCKETBOOK—Lost; brown, vicinity 2100 Pershing; Saturday afternoon. Reward. CEntral 3427. (c)

PURSE—Lost; change; brown with blue flaps; money, knife and compact inclosed, Reward. CO. 4658. (c)

PURSE—Lost; Dec. 23; containing thimble, East St. Louis car pass. Call Midway 8782. Reward $2. (c)

PURSE—Lost; Sat.; containing glasses, keys, change. Grand-Southwest bus or 3900 block Dover pl., Wednesday evening; liberal reward. 8306 Dover. (c)

PURSE—Lost; black, in 3600 block Olive, containing cards, keys and glasses; keen money to successful seeker. F. K. 2742 Olive. JEfferson 4260. (c7)

SHOTGUN—Lost; 16-gauge, on Harvard avenue, University City; reward. 756 Harvard. (c7)

SUIT COAT—Lost; vicinity 2400 S. Chambers or Hall's Ferry. ATwater 991.

Dogs Lost

AIREDALE—Female; house broke; children's pet; bargain. 88 EVergreen 3473.

BEAGLE—Stolen or strayed; Friday morning, 4102 Lee; reward.

BEAGLE HOUND—Lost; white, black and brown collar; reward, 1213 Allen, Maplewood.

COLLIE—Lost, from 1355 Woodruff av., Dec. 16; large brown male, some white on body; reward. CAbany 3889W. (c)

DOG—Lost; white; Sunday; $15 reward; return 3501 Lawton.

DOG—Lost; tan and white collie; four months old; reward. 2020 Agnes st.

DOG—Lost; collie; male; sable and white. Reward on Wabash 1494. (c)

DOG—Lost; black and tan, license No. 4585; reward. DElmar 1189. (c)

DOG—Lost; bird brown; white paws, tame in right hind leg; 1925 license plate; reward. Colfax 2156R. (c)

DOG—Lost; male; Thursday, white; black spot on top; child seriously sick and grieving over lost dog. Please, please return to 3526 S. Second st. Reward. (7)

DOG—Lost; small, black, male fox terrier, bull terrier spot on left front; 1928 collar; bobtail; reward. 1325 W. Lockwood, Glendale, Mo. WEbster 2530R. (c)

FERRIER—Lost; black and white; wearing city collar; 7314.

FOX TERRIER—Lost; white with two black spots on head. Answers Jack. Call LAclede 4091.

HOUND—White with black spots; reward, return 4228 Goodfellow.

HOUND—Lost; small blue tick female; south side; reward. Wade 0255. (c)

HOUNDS—Lost: 2-1 black and tan and 1 spotted; blind in one eye; $100 rewards for information to recover; notify police or 2747 Park. Cent. 1698.

PEKINESE—Lost; $10 reward; no questions asked. 2739 Sheridan.

POLICE DOG—Lost; License No. 5207; reward. 4194 Vermeer. (c)

POLICE DOG—Lost or stolen; large black male, with cream legs; reward. 2916 Madison. Lindell 5705. (c)

POODLE—Lost; white male, Toodles, $5 reward, 4805 Maffitt, Colfax 2737J. (c)

SPITZ—Lost, spitz dog, white and brown spots; 6 months old; reward. JEfferson 6421. 4230 West Belle pl. (c)

WILL give my 2 fine female beagle hounds to anyone who will guarantee them a good home; answer by letter. Box H-229 Post-Dispatch. (c)

WIREHAIR TERRIER—Lost; brown head, black spot on left side; answers to name "Tony." License No. 6433. Call FOrest 4333.

Jewelry Lost

BAR PIN—Lost; platinum; one diamond; reward. PArkview 3957J. (c3)

BRACELET—Lost set with brilliants. Call Clement 3488. Reward. (c)

BRACELET—Lost white gold; 3 onyx diamond insets; between Beach, Jefferson and Lafayette or Hodiamont, Jefferson car; reward. Colfax 7561R. (c)

BRACELET—Lost; white gold, 3 emeralds, 6 diamonds; Saturday evening, Ambassador Theater; reward. Riverside 5845W.

DIAMOND BAR-PIN—Lost, Famous-Barr Store department. Colfax 2072M. (c) ward.

DIAMOND WRIST WATCH—Lost; with bracelet on Dec. 20 or 22. Return pawn ticket or look at it and receive liberal reward; no questions asked. 6700 Clayton rd., Hiland 3493. (c)

EARRING—Lost; green jade and gold, at American Annex, American Theater or that neighborhood; Friday, Dec. 28; finder please phone CAbany 3015. (c8)

FRATERNITY PIN—Lost; Delta Upsilon; set with diamonds and pearls; vicinity Union Station or downtown. Reward. MAin 3574.

GOLD BAR PIN—Lost; with 3 tiny diamonds; reward. CAbany 0291. (c)

LADY'S RING—Lost, with 2 sets diamond and garnet; Ambassador Theater; liberal reward. EVergreen 7949.

LADY'S WATCH—Lost, with beaded fob; boy's keepsake; reward. Phone Wabash 888.

PIN—Lost; white gold filigree; 1 diamond; keepsake; reward. PRospect 3314.

PIN—Lost, round, gold orange colored stone, with snake coiled around it; last Sunday; reward. FOrest 5883. (c)

PIN—Lost; moon design, carved stone in gold circle; gold coin holding torches on edge; valued for associations; reward. Phone DElmar 2809. Mrs. G. Krestel. (c6)

RING—Lost, emerald and pearl; Arcadia ballroom; Wednesday night; reward. LAclede 3411. (c)

RING—Lost; gentleman's gold high school ring, inscription "Crane." Cab. 6347R. (c1)

ROSE CORAL DIAMOND EARRING—Lost, Leonard, CAbany 8983.

WATCH—Lost, Wednesday, 7:30 a. m., 11th and Washington av.; reward. 2567A Montgomery st.

WRIST WATCH—Lost, lady's, white gold, with link bracelet, 3 sapphires in bracelet; reward. Colfax 2469R. (c)

WRIST WATCH—Lost; white gold; four small diamonds, 4 sapphires; reward. GRand 5180. (c)

WRIST WATCH—Lost; yellow gold; on Cass car or at Grand and St. Louis; reward. Call Evergreen 0501.

WRIST WATCH—Lost; Saturday, Half mart; and bracelet, in basement of Where; yellow gold; reward. Lindell 0307M.

LOST AND FOUND

Jewelry Lost

WRIST WATCH—Lost; Dec. 22 at the Tanking; reward. Call TRi-City 8512.

Found

BICYCLE—Found. Call JEfferson 6756. (c)

POLICE DOG—Found; inquire 5431 Thrush from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. (3)

FOUND BY POLICE.

LADIES' COMPACT—Eleventh District.

COMPACT—Eleventh District.

BLACK FOLDER—Seventh District.

ILLINOIS LICENSE PLATE—Traffic Department.

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TUCKPOINTING—Cleaning, chimney repairing, window caulking, waterproofing. Colfax 8014.

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TUCKPOINTING—Chimney building. Call Sunday morning or after 6. Riverside 0774J. Fred Herchert, 3335A Ilaska.

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BUILD HOMES—Stores, garages, porches, remodeling, repair work all kinds. PRospect 2179. Hiland 0256. (c99)

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ELECTRICIAN—Sit.; married; five years' experience in house and commercial wiring. Riverside 7213W.

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JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT—Sit.; St. Louis U. graduate wants position. Call Fred, GRand 6195J.

LAUNDRY WORKER—Can you use an ambitious man in your business? Age 22; neat; best references. Box R-410. Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit.; elderly, wants position as janitor; reference; Lindell 6757W.

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CHEF—Experienced, $40 week; no Sunday. Box R-371, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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DELIVERY BOY—For drugstore; with or without bicycle. 6201 Arsenal.

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DRIVER—Reo truck; strong boy; salary $20; references required. 1021 N. Broadway.

DRUGGIST—Elderly man; easy hours. 6201 Arsenal.

DRUGGIST—Capable assistant preferred. Sagers, 5801 Page.

DRUG CLERK — Assistant, registered. 4300 Manchester av.

ENGINEER—Experienced in reinforced concrete; wanted for office work; graduate engineer, one or two years experience in structural; sales possibilities. Box R-295, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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American, 30 to 40, able to read, write and dictate in English and German correctly and quickly. Export office experience necessary; state salary expected; permanent; location, Kansas City, Mo. Box R-300, Post-Dispatch.

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FITTER—Picture.

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FREIGHT RATE CLERK—Experienced; familiar with Southwestern rates; salary $145 per month; state experience. Box R-251, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GROCERY CLERK—Experienced; for meat market; must be over 30 years of age. Apply Sunday morning, between 11 and 12, at 7504 Ethel av. Hillland 0076.

INFORMATION CLERK—Young man, 18 to 20; accurate at figures; good penman. Must be over high school education; to assist in general office work; must be alert, neat, expressive of combanding personality; apply in own handwriting; state age, height, weight and full details of previous experience and qualifications in first letter for advancement. Box R-307, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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JANITOR—Experienced man, fast worker, keep factory and office clean and fire heating boiler; low pressure; night work; state age, salary and references. Box R-252, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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LATHE OPERATOR—Experienced; for turret lathe; production work. Century Electric, 1817 Pine. (c)

MAN—To sell pork sausage, 2224 Hickory; call Sunday.

MAN—Experienced in restaurant management. Box K-236, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young, 19 years, with knowledge of routing city delivery good; at figures; references; salary to start, $15. Box R-209, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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MECHANIC—For night work for chevrolet service and shop work on one ads house; how to handle low car. Geo. Evans.

MEN AND YOUNG MEN—To sell on time suits, $28 & $21 st. cloth. (c)

MEN—Bugle-Horn House distributing. Monday, 2:30 a. m. 3405 Bell.

MEN AND BOYS—An average $6 per day canvassing; easy line; must have references. 4643 Prescott av.

MEN 3; must answering; age 25 to 40, married men preferred; good pay to willing workers. Manager, 10 to 12, 3508 S. Grand. Co77

MAN AND WIFE—To handle small apartment and parking lot; rent free. Box R-166, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—To work on farm near St. Louis; $35 and board. Call Monday 9 to 11, Tower Grove Hotel, 4503 Shaw av. (c)

MAN—Experienced, for retail jewelry store; married preferred; excellent opportunity; with ability. Box R-407, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Experienced hoofler, single, sober, steady worker; also young man with car for horse and dog act. Van Epps Riding Stable, 5248 Oakland av.

MEN—Retail executives, willing to travel who can qualify successfully; proven producing ads, make good cards, plan and supervise successful selling campaign; must understand every detail of successful retailing. 500 Ambassador Bldg.

MAN—Wholesale traveling representative, who is not afraid of work, for established line of automobiles; must be experienced; reply, giving details of your experience, age and salary expected; your reply will be held in strict confidence. Box R-329, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MEN 3, intelligent, neat appearing, who desire a permanent connection with a responsible company; must be willing to work 8 hours per day and start at once; terms this week mean about $40; must start at once. Call at business room 1, 8th floor, Arcade. (c10)

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To own and operate your own battery shop, will sell complete equipped shop including 30 batteries and 2 going business for $3,000 cash; rent, $75 a month. EU-CLEDE GARAGE.

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AGENTS—Backup pad for electric tables, $50 daily; we start you, furnishing everything. Who sells. Desk 38, 429 W. Superior, Chicago.

AGENTS—SIGN LETTERS — For store windows; 500 per cent profit; free sample. Metallic Letter Co., 433 N. Clark, Chicago.

AGENTS—Man in each town to plate auto parts, reflectors, mirrors, chandeliers, by new method; experience unnecessary; write for terms and full particulars. Plater, 111 Jackson Blvd., Chicago.

AGENTS—To canvass offices, factories, stores, etc., $125 monthly salary and bonus. Lawson Moomaw Co., Springfield Ill.

AGENTS—Bargain millinery sale; newest styles; make enormous profits; 100% from house of 8 sisters; sell everything. Distributors Dept. A-425, Superior, Chicago.

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AGENTS—$2.95 autocast covers; cash daily; amazing all America; post card brings leatherette sales outfit. "Quality," 1547 Jackson, Chicago.

AGENTS—Can average $6 per day canvassing; easy line; must have references. 4643 Prescott av.

AGENTS—Cleaning up with Lanowa combination; 65c clear profit every dollar sale; big repeater. Great Western Industries, 4104 Penn, Kansas City, Mo. (c69)

AGENTS—$30 weekly selling shirts; no capital or experience needed. Commissions in advance. Established 40 years. Samples free. Madison Shirts, 560 Broadway, New York. (c99)

AGENTS—Strange battery compound charges batteries instantly; gives new life and pep; immense demand; big profits; gallon free. Lightning Co., St. Paul, Minn.

AGENTS—New Christmas gift box brings quick sales, big profits; beautiful box contains toiletries; sells on sight. Write Bo-Ro-Co, Mfg. Co., 1332 Franklin.

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AGENTS—Coin money with new patented 50c salt and pepper shakers; demonstrators sell every housewife. Write for free sample sets offer. Reiner Products, Inc., 1000 Madison av., New York.

AGENTS—Brand new, clever, 8-in-1 household device, mops, scrubs, waxes, polishes, dusts, wrings, cleans walls and ceilings. Housewives wild over it. Popular price; big commission. Make $15 daily. Kleanrey Co., 211 Canal, Delphos, O.

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AGENTS—Just out, complete line waterproof, greaseproof, stainproof aprons for every use; also 47 other leader specialties direct from Akron, the Rubber City; make $60 weekly easy by taking orders in homes, stores, factories, etc., everywhere; big profit; Work Va. agent made $30 one day. Jos. Brand, Ohio, made $10.43 in one hour; no experience nor capital required. Write today for catalog and free outfit offer. Kristee Mfg. Co., 32 Bar st., Akron, O.

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SOLICITORS—Experienced; to solicit savings accounts for local bank. See Anderson, Park Hotel.

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PARTNER Wtd.—For division property stands investigation. Wabash 1109W.

PARTNER Wtd.—Silver man with $3000 to take over a neighborhood department store. Inquire Monday, 3800 Manchester.

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PARTNER Wtd.—Man mechanically inclined, with $500 and services. Box R-109, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PARTNER Wtd.—For restaurant and confectionery; fine location in town of 40,000, near St. Louis; must be good cook. Box R-91, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Builder would like to go in business with reliable party who can sell and finance building. Box R-168, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PARTNER Wtd.—Parties to join me in raising grapefruit, ground-floor proposition; no agents nor land company; private sale. Box R-133, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—Want to retire; will sell active interest in established printing corporation; splendid opportunity. Box R-282, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—If you have $1000, have a proposition that will interest you; it costs nothing to investigate; all correspondence confidential. Box R-292, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN WANTED

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Live wire; call on specialty shops; small sample line; liberal commission. Dandee, 1509 Cropsey av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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For the live, wide awake man we have a connection that is unusual; one that you can qualify; and $60 per week interest you, see district manager Monday, Little Jeff, Goddard Bldg.

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SHOE SALESMAN—Must be experienced; wonderful opportunity for right man. Thumble Shoe Co., 310 Washington.

STOCK SALESMAN—In Missouri; several very good issues. Write qualifications, 1004 Bigler Bldg. (c69)

STOCK WAGON MAN—Experienced; call on retail grocery trade; state record, age and salary. Box B-187, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Automotive wholesale trade; real opportunity. 4117 Delmar. (c)

SALESMEN—3 good men to sell standard line of radios. 4741 Natural Bridge.

SALESMAN—High class; to sell exclusive line of women's rayon undergarments at a side line. Box K-304, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Experienced in the lime jewelry retail store; references; steady place; good salary. Box K-255, P-D.

SALESMEN—Calling on retail grocery trade; selling advertised food products; state qualifications. Box B-39, Post-Dis.

SALESMEN—City and road; sell merchants only. Write S&H Manufacturing, 414 Provident Bank Bldg., Cincinnati, O.

SALESMEN—Building material; excellent for modernizing home and buildings. Write M. Regnier, 4171 McKee. (c1)

SALESMEN—Between 25 and 30; calling on retail stores. Box B-25, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—For retail furniture house. State age and experience. Box K-107, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN — Raincoats, to sell on commission; can be carried as side line; good territories now available. P. O. Box 858.

SALESMEN—Radio and electric refrigeration; the most complete line in the city. 4750 Easton, ask for Tarrant. (c10)

SALESMAN—Sueline; $50 weekly making small towns. No sales. No samples. Dean Novelty Co., 408 W. First, Tulsa, Ok.

SALESMAN—For saws, knives, files, belting, grinding wheels, machinery and goods. Box G-182, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Who can sell toilet articles of merit on commission. Box H-292, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—To call on retail merchants; must have car; $100 cash bond. Powers Suit Corp., 1902 Olive.

SALESMAN—For infants' coats and dresses; must have car and have a following with the buyers of this line. Box R-350, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—First-class; must be acquainted with retail grocers in city; sell just one line food product; steady and permanent. Box K-284, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—With own car can make a connection which will prove very profitable; see sales manager, Delmar Goodfellow Motor Co., 3800 Delmar. (c)

SALESMAN—Hustler; first-class line calendars, fans wall pockets; commission, 30 per cent; exclusive territory. Dixie Printing & Calendar Co., Tyler, Tex.

SALESMEN—If $100 per week or better will interest you see Mr. McMahon, 620 Maryland Hotel, Monday and Wednesday, between 2 and 5 p. m. only. Garfield 2800.

SALESMAN—Sell business cards at $1.65 a thousand; big repeater; established firm; boys; no competition. Wm. Schultz & Co., 508 W. 10th st., Los Angeles, Cal.

SALESMAN—Who knows farm life, to travel in country; steady work; good profits. McConnon & Co., Dept. B-196, Winona, Minn.

SALESMEN—Sell 365 electric signs, 7c apiece; $8.50 profit every sale. Brilliant, blinking colors. Gilco, 217-AA, No. Des Plaines, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Sell merchants only, 40 per cent commission daily; repeats; wonderful side line; experience unnecessary; outfit free. Nelson, 330 S. Wells, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Can earn $50 to $75 a week selling advertising fans; selling season now on; samples light. Address U. S. Calendar Co., Cincinnati, O.

SALESMAN—To sell men's neckwear, handkerchiefs, belts, as a side line on commission in Missouri. Domeroy Bros., 411 S. Wells, Chicago, Ill.

SALESMEN—Only high-class men need apply; must be willing to study a sales talk. Call 322 N. Grand third floor, between 9 to 10 a. m. or 3 to 5 p. m.

SALESMEN—$25 and liberal bonus both conditional to start; repeat sales on established routes; we show you how. Call 802 Equitable Bldg. Garfield 8139.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—Sell complete line cotton and leather work gloves; best on market. We have a real proposition. The Greenfield Glove Mfg. Co., Greenfield, O.

SALESMAN—City; for popular-priced dresses; good opportunity; state full following and experience; only need apply. The Jacobson Co., 1422 Washington. (c)

SALESMEN — Excellent opportunity for several high-class specialty salesmen. Call at 8 a. m. Monday, Star Match Co., 725 Boatmen's Bank Bldg.

SALESMEN—Office men who would like to sell Hudson-Essex automobiles. See Salesmanager, Northwest Motor Car Co., 2220 Natural Bridge.

SALESMAN—Experienced in selling household appliances; liberal commission; give experiences, references. Box K-283, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN — New Christmas gift box brings quick sales, big profits; beautiful box of sterling toiletries; sells on sight. Write or write Bo-Ro-Co Mfg. Co., 1332 Franklin av. (c99)

SALESMAN—Manufacturers of high-grade line of radio sets has opening for salesman of ability traveling territory exclusive or part time; liberal compensation; unlimited capacity. For interview call 2324 Olive.

SALESMEN—Sell Union label printing; brand-new proposition; copyright cuts and advertising; 25 per cent; 50 per cent commission advanced; beats all competition. Meyerson, 1141 S. Racine, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Experienced calling on department store and furniture trade; splendid steeline steel folding chairs and tables. Write S. W. Blum, 665 Broadway, New York City.

SALESMAN—For credit jewelry store; large downtown; old established firm; $50 and $60 to start; pay increase at once; none other need apply. Box K-286 Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—$50 weekly. Men wanted to demonstrate and take 10 orders daily direct from motorists. Amazing Aggieco Rubber Lip Sticks against each door; orders bigger pay. Write for demonstrator and particulars. Magno Co., 6 Beacon Boston.

SALESMEN—Sung-up, good new sideline! Sells everywhere, all merchants, banks, manufacturers; big commissions. Advanced daily. Pocket sample. Carroll, 312 N. Albany, Dept. 153, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Newest novelties and finest line photo jewelry; daily commissions; actual manufacturers; state full experience. Advertising Novelty Co., Newton, Mass.

SALESMEN—Big money being made now selling promotional printing to business and professional men; free outfit. Business Men's Press, Dept. 18, 325 S. Dearborn, Chicago.

SALESMEN—$150 weekly placing radio agencies; sales guaranteed; makes line good year around; commission on repeats. Radio knowledge unnecessary. Box 497, Iowa City, Ia.

SALESMEN—New novelty and staple line of improved adjustable size harvest hats; positively hand woven; priced $1.95 to $3 dozen. Best selling season just opening. Commission basis. Address Hatalie Tozer, 1900 Race, Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMEN—$50 weekly, extra paid promptly. Ideal side line. Trade stimulator for merchants. No sales. No capital. No samples. C. Keeney, manufacturer, 700 E. 40th, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Positions now open for large sales organization; men who have time in business 60 years; men of character and personality needed; start the new year right; unlimited opportunity. Jefferson, 2162 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c3)

SALESMEN—4 small orders daily pay $96 weekly; perfect line; services every store wants; make quick sales and assure permanent repeat commissions. Free outfit. Elliott Service, 240 W. 35th, New York.

SALESMEN—We offer splendid opportunity to commission salesmen of ability to sell our product to the user in a new freezing compound in barrels and kegs to large consumers. Pioneer Chemical & Mfg. Co., Cleveland.

SALESMAN—Wholesale house, established 12 years, wants aggressive man in Missouri; opportunity helpful for man; good big season starting now; liberal advances. A. F. Gibson, Mer. Dept. 223, 2010 Euclid, Cleveland.

SALESMAN.
MISSOURI TERRITORY OPEN.
LACES—LADIES' BELTS—NECKWEAR.
ARCH LINGERIE, HANDKERCHIEFS, NOVELTIES. CALAIS-BARMEE CO., INC., 136-140 MADISON AVE., NEW YORK.

SALESMEN—Advertising novelty and calendar; unique complete line; unusually attractive; prompt commission policy. National Calendar Co., 1st floor, Stanwood-Hilson Corporation, Brookline, Mass.

SALESMEN—New fast selling trade stimulator sells to every merchant; enormous; builds bigger business. Your profit $75-$100 weekly advanced. Pocket outfit FREE. Kay Manufacturer, Suite 826, 308 S. Michigan, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Hat and cap; for established territory in Alabama and Mississippi; salary and commission; must have experience; interviews strictly confidential. Box K-264, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Amazing new discovery, cuts tire, tube costs in half; a goldmine; sells to dealers, garages, filling stations, fleet owners; new to consumers. Dixie Rubber Products Co., Memphis, Tenn.

SALESMEN—New invention; sells every home; big profits; experience unnecessary. Bell Telephone Co., Armour & Co., etc., costs $2.50; retails $7.50. Walker made $1,000 first day. Write Adjustment Service, Dept. 61, Menominee, Mich.

SALESMEN—Act; specialty men for specialty line; experience a necessity for stores; quick seller; exclusive territory, attractive proposition; salesmen making $250 weekly. F. F. Gafford, Salesmanager, 515 Latlin, Chicago.

SALESMAN—To secure locations for coin operated machines in established drug stores; commission daily or weekly; can earn from $80 monthly upwards; permanent; $1,000 required; leader only. Atlantic Piano Co., 713 N. Euclid av.

SALESMEN—Traveling, calling on specialty shops, dry goods and department stores; big line; big commission; exclusive state territory and lines selling. Write Progressive Mercantile Co., 923 Washington av., St. Louis, Mo.

SALESMEN—Advertising vacancies in St. Louis for 2 alert-minded salesmen willing to work for big future; must be good; drawing account against commissions. See Mr. Egan, 406 Louderman Bldg., Saturday or Monday.

SALESMEN—Earn $100 weekly taking orders for Dazzler and Rainbow Glow electric signs. Write quick for commission, exclusive territory, Highgrade proposition. Write Chicago Sign Sales Co., Dept. 55, Chartered Bank Bldg., Chicago.

SALESMEN—Prefer men experienced in selling motor oils and greases; attractive basis of compensation will be given men selected; qualifying give complete data, including age, experience and training. Box B-270, Post-Dispatch. (c76)

SALESMEN—Catholic; 2 for established territory, calling on our subscribers for renewal subscriptions; city and road work; experience not necessary if willing to learn. Apply 1073 Arcade Bldg., before 10 or after 3:30.

SALESMAN—Exceptional opportunity for capable, reliable man to build permanent connection. Hired man; commission basis; advances. Very large earnings possible. Exclusive territory protection. Merchants' National Bldg., 2402 Race, Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMEN—We have vacancy Jan. 15 in Missouri for specialty salesman capable of making $10,000 a year; commissions. High grade line. Permanent position with recorders. General Mgr., Box 850, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

SALESMEN—Sell by day during your spare time selling your friends radios—Crosley Freed-Eiseman, Atwater Kent, Philco, Balkite, Kolster and others. Liberal commission. National Radio Store, 1934 S. Broadway, Victor 1090. (c68)

SALESMAN — Vacancy Jan. 1; excellent permanent position; capable man, commission, in Missouri; sell staple line specialty, general retail trade; weekly advances against commissions. Rice Co., 407 W. Fort, Detroit, Mich.

SALESMEN—Strictly commission basis, to sell popular price line of overcoats and trousers, to be carried as a sideline; only those having following and producers in their territory; state reference. Sher-Heyman Clothing Co., 819 Washington av., St. Louis.

SALESMAN—RESILIENT TO SELL DEPARTMENT STORE IMPORTED 25-DOLLAR PRICED NOVELTIES AND GIFT ITEMS COMMISSION 10 PER CENT ON ORDERS AND REORDERS. HAROLD IMPORT CO., 1123 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

SALESMEN—3 energetic; new advertising card for retail trade; smaller cities and towns. Dealers in every town waiting for this; $600 monthly or better to producers. Permanent; references. Address Box 1110, Dept RT, 64 East Lake st., Chicago, Ill.

SALESMEN—Profitable connection for traveling advertising salesman with large advertising concern, producing flexible individual direct mail loan; retailers, only experienced men accustomed to large sales commissions desired. Write J. D. Tarpey, Manager, Minneapolis, Minn.

SALESMAN—Real estate experience desired but not essential; only A-trade men need apply. Opportunity to connect with one of the largest selling organizations in South St. Louis, with over 400 bona fide sales annually. Reference required. Apply after 4 p. m., H. A. O'Rourke, 5471 Gravois.

SALESMAN—Successful, with established clientele for schools, hospitals, institutions and industrial trade by established manufacturer of high-grade chemical specialties; salary, commission and expenses; must have acceptable record and references. International Chemical, 3130-40 Lexington, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Big profit winner, fall and winter. Temperite radiator shield gives car owners something new to see, new to want, better to use. Protects radiators and motors. Keeps cold out keeps warmth in. Makes cold-afflicted motors easy to start, reduces strain on starter and batteries. Sensational seller big profit maker. Write for details. Manila Leather Goods Co., Inc., 113 Wooster st., New York City.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN.
To sell General Motors popular 6-cylinder car; opportunity for men with experience. ROSENHEIMER, 3745 Page.

SALESMAN—We have a splendid opportunity in our organization for a salesman to sell Ford trucks, built by Chrysler; price range, $545 and up. This line requires a man who will put in a real 8 hours a day and follow instructions; remuneration will be satisfactory to accepted applicant. Apply Mr. Geyer, factory representative, 3107 Locust.

SALESMEN—If you could offer a business man high-grade pencils with his ad imprinted in gold, in quantities as small as a dozen gross, cheaper than he buys his ordinary pencils, so he could use them himself or as an advertising novelty, wouldn't you think you had a real live proposition? Easy sales, big commissions. Mr. Hobbs, Sales Manager, 83 Murray st., New York City.

SALESMAN.
Young man—We have an opening for a man who has experience in the selling of furniture and all its branches—sales, credits and collection. Applicant must be honest, industrious and willing to work. This is an opportunity for one who has consideration for the future. Write fully, giving age, education and all previous activity expected, whether or not now employed. Application considered confidential. Box K-308, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—The leading manufacturer of popular-priced Porto Rican handmade embroidered and lace handkerchiefs, who are now selling best stores in the United States, are seeking a representative to work in connection with our present salesmen and accounts handled past and present. Address P. O. Box 1212, St. Louis, Mo.

SALESMEN—Calling on art needlework and draperies in Missouri; large and small retail stores; to carry popular priced line of silk pillows, Georgette bed lights, silk draperies and bassinet lines; line compact; only men with established following need apply. Strictly commission basis. Write full details, territory covered and how. Rose Lace Co., Inc., 1036 N. Michigan av., Chicago, Ill.

SALESMAN—Brooklyn shoe manufacturer who has been in business 40 years making high-class ladies' shoes, wants a competent, high-class salesman who can invest $50,000, to manage all sales and take entire charge of selling. Splendid opportunity for right party. Factory is well equipped and in full operation. Correspondence will be treated strictly confidential. Box 15, Room 407, 26 Court st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

SALESMEN—We want salesmen of proven ability, well acquainted with dry goods and clothing trade, to sell our line of knitted novelties, infant's wear and sweaters. Men who travel by car preferred. Give reference and state fully your experience when applying. Star Knitting Co., LaCrosse, Wis. (3)

SALESMEN—The foremost line of ladies' scarfs, nationally known, is open for experienced salesmen for Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma; those wishing to make big money and acquainted with the neckwear buyers will be considered. Commission basis only but no others but established lines. 100 per cent deliveries assured on the line plus an advertising follow-up campaign. Write letter giving complete particulars regarding experience, lines sold, references, etc. Box J-301, P-D.

SALESMAN—Large established manufacturer of metal and onyx lamps, silk and painted shades (about 250 numbers), offers exceptional proposition to live wire salesman, preferably with auto, covering large and small towns in Missouri and surrounding territory; splendid line; real time men earning $17,000; sideline $6000 yearly. Prefer acquaintance with department store, art, gift and furniture buyers. Liberal commission. Lee-Frane Manufacturing Co., 900-910 West Lake st., Chicago.

SALESMAN WANTED.
An opportunity for an aggressive young man between 25 and 35 years of age; to join an established company selling a new high-grade household device for the rural home. Must want a salesman who understands merchandising—who can establish dealers and help these dealers sell the ultimate user; must travel the State; salary and traveling expenses; send recent photograph if possible; write fully, age, experience, training; approximate salary expected. Give telephone number and box number. Box J-302, Post-Dispatch.

EXPERIENCED SALESMAN

Calling on department, dry goods, general and clothing stores, to sell a new style of boys' pants with a new top and elastic cuff, on a commission basis. Only one sample and swatches. Write us what line you are now selling and town you cover. O. K. KNEE PANTS CO., 737 Broadway, New York City.

SALESMAN

Salesman with car, familiar with Illinois and Missouri territory, open conditions, to sell portable mine car conveyor loaders on commission basis. Advance drawing account. Give complete particulars, references and accounts handled past and present. Address P. O. Box 1212, St. Louis, Mo.

SPECIALTY SALESMEN

Experienced proprietary medicine salesmen preferred, but will train right man; business references and successful selling record of leading drug and general stores. Give full particulars in first letter. Own car. Crane Medicine Co., Superior & Franklin Sts., Chicago, Ill.

SALARY AND COMMISSION

For out of town territory established trade among hardware, furniture, stove and department stores; specialty line; salary and commission; auto required; give history of past employment. Box B-311, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN

We wish to engage 2 or 3 successful men of proven experience, calling on the better grade trade; men who are looking for the highest dignity and requires merit of good education and personality to make good. Only men capable of instruction now being arranged and applications are being received for entrance. Our work is highly profitable and of a permanent nature. If you feel you can qualify in accordance with the above requirements we will be pleased to receive your application. Box H-305, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMEN—Big profit during your spare time selling your friends radios. Crosley, Majestic, Federal and others. Liberal commission. National Radio Store, 7187 Manchester. HIland 7596. (c)

SALESMAN—One highly remunerative opening for an ambitious, determined salesman to represent the oldest and leading concern in the world manufacturing checks and check-protection equipment. New developments offer to the right man exceptional opportunities. Exclusive territory. An excellent proposition for salesman with experience in typewriters, cash registers, addressing machines or similar lines. Thorough training. Drawing account if desired. Call or write today. THE TODD SALES CO., 408 N. 8th st., St. Louis.

Salesmen & Division Managers GET READY FOR 1929

Pick out a reliable firm selling a high-profit necessity with numerous prospects. We have been in business since 1906, and are proud of our record for fair dealing with salesmen and customers.

Five or ten counties will be turned over to men with experience hiring salesmen.

A wonderful future for the right man.

If you are over 35 years old, have a car and can furnish good reference as to ability and character, you should get in touch with us at once to secure territory in your home county.

C. D. ROGERS.
5005 Euclid Avenue. Cleveland, Ohio.

SPECIALTY SALESMEN

The Electrolux gas refrigerator having been accepted as a home necessity and convenience of highest quality paves a way to big earnings for a number of specialty salesmen. Coasult Mr. F. Kappey any morning from 9 to 10, Mezzanine floor, The Laclede Gas Light Co., Olive at 11th.

SALESMEN WANTED

DISTRIBUTOR

Wanted for St. Louis to handle fast-selling line of nut confections through established trade; good earnings; must be well recommended and be able to invest $500. POWER NUT CORP., 1902 Olive. (c)

TRAVELING ASSISTANT SALES MANAGER

The manufacturer of a nationally advertised and distributed line of technical building products is seeking assistant territory manager for his field organization. Successful candidate will sell to architects, building contractors, materials dealers, and must be able to hire, train and manage men to do so.

This opportunity with oldest and best known company in its field will prove attractive to man of creative sales ability experienced in selling a specialty (sales experience with simple commodities of little value here). If qualified write giving experience and salary desired Box J-299, Post-Dispatch. (c99)

TO THE WIFE OF A GOOD SALESMAN

A true story:
He was earning $225 a month, not contented, but afraid to get out. His wife talked him into coming here. He made $1000 monthly for the first six months, then $24,000 in a year. He is now independent. The same man, the same ability, only a change of positions made him an immediate success.

If your husband is not getting ahead, have him investigate the subdivision business. With St. Louis doubling in population, this is a real business opportunity. Experience unnecessary.

Will interview salesmen Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 2, or come in any day next week.

DAVIS REALTY COMPANY,
1101 LOCUST ST.

Specialty Salesmen

A limited number of men will be added to our sales force immediately. Specialty salesmen who have sold sub-division property, adding machines, washing machines, vacuum cleaners and radios will be especially interested. For the salesman we are making a real future with a permanent location. See us at once.

COPELAND ST. LOUIS CO.
2217-19 Locust. CHestnut 5420. (c80)

DISTRICT MANAGER

Large national Manufacturer has immediate opening for man with experience selling advertising calendars

ROOMS WITH BOARD—South

ROOMS AND BOARD—South: 1 or 2; conveniences; board; Lutheran family. Victor 0898R. (c)

RUSSELL, 3954—Single room, board, conveniences; German family. GRand 1382J. (c)

SHENANDOAH, 3669A—Room and board for 2; gentlemen; twin beds. (c)

SHENANDOAH, 3963—Room and board for two. PRospect 4312. (c44)

SHENANDOAH, 3924—Single room, hot-water heat; meals if desired. (c)

SHENANDOAH, 3921A—1 or 2 rooms, with board, $7.50; private home. PLeasant 7202. (c)

ST. VINCENT, 2921—Rooms with board for couple and 2 men; newly equipped; heated. GRand 8686. (c)

VIRGINIA, 4427—Room and board; private family. Riverside 1807R. (c)

WYOMING, 3955A—Lovely room for two gentlemen or couple employed, with meals; private family; reasonable. LaClede, 2882. (c)

WYOMING, 4010—Private family desires to accommodate two gentlemen; excellent quarters; a real home; LaClede 2491. (c)

Southwest

ROOM AND BOARD—2 gentlemen; convenient to car and bus. Hiland 3703L. (c)

West

BARTMER, 5796—Warm front room, private; excellent meals. Cabany 3014J. (c)

CABANNE, 5005—Lovely furnished room with board for 2; $7.50. (c)

CABANNE, 5057—Southern exposed; modern room; newly decorated; steel meals. (c)

CABANNE, 5090—Room and board; all conveniences. Forest 6497J. (c)

CABANNE, 5534—Single front room; excellent board; garage. FOrest 3175. (c)

CABANNE, 5021—Board for 1 or 2 ladies; Hodiamont car. (c)

CABANNE, 5043—Nicely furnished large front room, board; gentlemen. (c10)

CABANNE, 5095—Lovely furnished room with board for $7.50. (c)

CABANNE, 5127—Gentlemen; board; double room; home conveniences. FOrest 0466W. (c)

CABANNE, 5058—Newly furnished rooms; hot-water heat; breakfast optional. FOrest 7382. (7)

CABANNE, 5102—Large front room; excellent meals; laboratory; also, single room couple or 2 ladies employed. FOrest 3563. (c)

CATES, 3801—Steam heat, running water; variety of foods; best cooking. (8)

CATES, 5185A—Room, board, adjoining bath; employed couple or gentlemen. Jewish.

CLEMENS, 5579—One or two rooms, meals served morning and evening; home cooking. Forest 3320R. (c)

CLEMENS, 5594—Delightful room; hot-water heat, continuous hot water; excellent meals; two young men. (c)

DELMAR, 5090A—Comfortable single or double room; good food. $7.50 week. (c)

DELMAR, 5305—5th floor west; room, board; 2 employed; private bath. (c)

DELMAR, 3884—Room and board, $8 up; home cooking; hot water, Lindell 0955J. (c10)

EASTGATE—Warm room in private apartment; board optional. Cabany 6787J.

ENRIGHT, 5009—Room, board, 2 gentlemen; twin beds; private family. (c)

ENRIGHT, 5242A—Warm room; 2 gentlemen; splendid meals; very reasonable.

ENRIGHT, 5046—Room and board; $7. FOrest 4486W. (c)

ENRIGHT, 5742—Desirable room in convenient neighborhood; good home cooking. (c)

ENRIGHT, 5245—Housekeeping; also sleeping rooms; board; all conveniences; reasonable. (c)

ENRIGHT, 5219—First-class board; large well heated front room; 3 people, $7 each. (c46)x

HAMILTON, 928A—Warm room, with board; hot water; good meals. (c)

LACLEDE, 4323A—Room and board for two; with a couple; no other roomers; all conveniences; reasonable. (c)

LINDELL, 4339—Room, board optional; reasonable. JEfferson 6449. (c99)

LINDELL, 3968—Board, single, double rooms, excellent meals. Lindell 0587. (c)

LINDELL, 4245—Large room for 2; steam heat; excellent meals. (c10)

McMILLAN, 4701A—Board and room, $8; employed men or women preferred. (c)

McPHERSON, 4071—Room, board, $6; rates to students; home cooking. (37)

McPHERSON, 4249—Warm, south room; excellent meals; home privileges. (7)

McPHERSON, 3927—Nicely furnished room; excellent meals. Lindell 0634W. (c99)

McPHERSON, 4308—Beautifully furnished room in refined private home, excellent table, convenient location; couple employed or business man preferred; reasonable. (c)

MAPLE, 5035—Large front room; excellent meals, 2 employed. (c83)

MAPLE, 5462—Large 2e front room, board, references. FOrest 5508W. (2)

MAPLE, 5711—Nicely furnished; gentlemen, couple; excellent meals; home-like convenient. (c)

MAPLE, 5546—Refined surroundings; exceptionally good meals; employed. Cabany 0388J. (c)

MARYLAND, 4168—Second story front, with board; exceptional value.

MARYLAND, 4353A—Large front room with board; steam heat; suitable for 2; excellent table set; Cathedral parish; references. Lindell 2981W. (c99)

MINERVA, 5002—Room, board, $7 up; car, bus. (c)

NEWSTEAD, 524 N.—Begin right, nice rooms, board, pay less. Try. (1)

PAGE, 5402—Room, board, meals family style; $6; good heat, hot water. (c8)

PAGE, 5059—Nice south room, board; twin beds; all conveniences. (c91)

RAYMOND, 5059—Room, board, 2d floor; twin beds; owner's home. (c)

RAYMOND, 5218—Front room, first-class meals; gentlemen; reasonable. (c)

RIDGE, 5338—Front room; excellent meals; two; reasonable. FOrest 1436W. (c7)

ROOM—Beautifully furnished; lovely home; meals. PArkview 3224.

ROOM—Front; board couple employed; private family. FOrest 3501. (c)

ROOM AND BOARD—2 ladies, employed; private family. Call FOrest 6184W. (c)

ROOM AND BOARD—Ladies; board or housekeeping privileges; private family. PArkview 3764W. (c)

ROOM AND BOARD—For 1 or 2 gentlemen lovely private family; best of references. PArkview 1285. (c83)

ROOM AND BOARD—2 young ladies, private family; superior accommodations. Forest 6382. (c)

UNION, 1484—Lovely front room for 2 gentlemen; hot-water heat; excel. meals.

VERNON, 3042—Room, board; private home; reasonable; home privileges. (c10)

VERNON, 5206—Lovely, second floor; excellent board; $7.50 each; girls.

VERNON, 5057—Large front room, modern, excellent meals. Cabany 3953J. (c)

VERNON, 5128—Excellent meals; reasonable; adjoining bath. FOrest 2437W. (8)

VERNON, 5108—Neatly furnished front room; private family for one who will appreciate good home; excellent meals. (c)

WASHINGTON, 4310—Homey meals that satisfy; ideal for employed people.

WASHINGTON, 5078—Front room, board; ideal 1 or 2 gentlemen. (c)

WASHINGTON, 4933—Accommodations for 3; excellent board; hot-water heat, private bath. (3)

WATERMAN, 36xx—Room, board, 1 or 2 gentlemen; private family. Cab. 6023J. (c34)

WATERMAN, 5007—Exclusive home, refined couple; investigate; excellent; inquire; reference. (12)

WATERMAN, 5250—Attractive large front room for 2, excellent meals; reasonable.

WESTMINSTER, 4548—Beautiful front room; running water; excellent meals; good heat; reasonable; private home.

WESTMINSTER, 4263 — Lovely steam-heated rooms with Southern cooking; $7.50.

WESTMINSTER, 4536 — Comfortable rooms, double or single; board; steam heat. (c)

WEST PINE, 4047—Warm cozy room, home cooking; music; $7.50. (c10)

WEST PINE, 4302—Excellent meals, 3 baths, reasonable. JEfferson 0780. (c)

WEST PINE, 4253—Room, board; modern conveniences; free parking service; south exp.; cooking. JEfferson 7117. (c10)

WEST PINE, 4331—Clean rooms; home cooking; reasonable. JEfferson 5414. (c99)

WEST PINE, 4435—Well furnished; excellent meals; $8-$10; also roommate for gentlemen. JEfferson 4172. (c10)

WEST PINE, 4253—Room, board; modern conveniences; free parking service; south exp. cooking. JEfferson 7117. (c10)

WEST PINE, 4341—Large, well furnished southern exposed front room; suitable for three; also other rooms and first-class board. (c)

If you desire real home call PArkview 1858; prefer C. S. girls; meals optional. (c)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

CONNECTING ROOMS—2; for housekeeping; all conveniences. FOrest 2814J. (c)

ROOM—Newly furnished; family style; references required. Forest 6570. (c)

ROOM—Nice, sunny, for ladies; reasonable; $7 up. RIverside 2514. (c)

ROOM—Lady employed, living room, laundry, kitchen privileges. GRand 1957W. (c99)

ROOMS—1, 2, 3, furnished or unfurnished; sleeping or housekeeping; heat, hot water; private. JEfferson 6207. (c)

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Central

ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3127 Locust — Clean, $1 day; weekly rates; tub baths and shower; garage. (c89)

CASS, 1502A—3-room efficiency apartment, arranged rooms; furnished; new and modern; $12 week. (c)

CHOUTEAU, 1423A—2 connecting furnished rooms for rent cheap.

FRANKLIN, 3003A—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; everything furnished. JEfferson 5055.

LOCUST, 1426—Steam heat; water in room; reasonable. (c)

LOCUST, 1418—Housekeeping rooms; two connecting rooms 3d floor.

MORGAN, 3424—Housekeeping, sleeping rooms; heat, hot water.

North

ANGLEBRODT, 1918—3 rooms, $18.

BACON, 1923A—Clean front housekeeping room; $4 week.

BACON, 1812 — Housekeeping, sleeping; rooms, $4 up. Lindell 9482R. (c)

BAILEY, 3815—Large front; modern home for 1 or 2; ½ block from Grand.

BENTON, 1917A—Furnished rooms and sleeping room; electric, bath.

BENTON, 1918—Two large connecting front housekeeping rooms; reasonable.

BLAIR, 1911—3 rooms, gas and electric, $4.

BREMEN, 1431—Furnished housekeeping rooms, 2 connecting; water, gas, heat, electric.

BREMEN, 1907—Large, furnished front room; and kitchenette; running water; heat, electric, gas; large closets; also single room. (c)

BROADWAY, 2813 N.—2 rooms for sleeping, $2; or housekeeping, $3.

CHAMBERS, 1203—Housekeeping, sleeping, $2 and up.

CLINTON, 3842—2 furnished connecting housekeeping rooms; single housekeeping room.

ELLIOT, 1724—Housekeeping rooms; private; heat, gas. (c)

FOURTEENTH, 3108 N.—Housekeeping and sleeping room.

GARFIELD, 3927—Housekeeping rooms; single connecting; heat; conveniences. JEfferson 0671. (7)

GRAND, 4113 N.—2 rooms, kitchenette; hot-water heater. COlfax 1995R.

GRAND, 1510 N.—Nice furnished front room; also single kitchenette.

GRAND, 3812A N.—Furnished front; nice location; conveniences; opposite Park; gentleman.

GRAND, 4002 N.—2 front housekeeping rooms, dishes, linens, gas range, heat; private entrance; $8.

HARPER, 3212—Housekeeping, sleeping; large Grand; hot-water heat. (c)

HEBERT, 2910—1 large front room for light housekeeping; single room, hot and modern; $12 week. (c)

HELEN, 5326—3 light housekeeping rooms; $6 week. EVergreen 9583. (c)

HOUSEKEEPING—2 furnishes, connecting; inquire 3d floor 1314 St. Louis.

KENNERLY, 3906—Two well furnished housekeeping rooms; $7 to adults.

LABADIE, 3931A—Furnished room, in private family; garage optional.

LABADIE, 4145—Housekeeping room; neatly furnished; private family. (37)

LABADIE, 4464A—Furnished room, private family; reasonable. COlfax 7727J.

LABADIE, 4101A—Sleeping room for 1 or steam heat reasonable.

LEE, 4257—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. (c80)

OUIDA, 6244 (1 block east of North Broadway and Taylor car sheds)—Newly furnished rooms for sleeping and light housekeeping.

RAUSCHENBACH, 3007—2 light housekeeping rooms, bath, gas, electric, hot water; for no other roomers; couple employed. Tyler 0296R.

ROOMS—Share steam-heated apartment; best north location. COlfax 5744J. (c46)x

ST. LOUIS, 3829—Room, sleeping or housekeeping; private family; lady.

ST. LOUIS, 2317—Housekeeping; steam heat; completely furnished.

ST. LOUIS, 4285—Front room, furnished or unfurnished, $3.50 week.

ST. LOUIS, 3925—Neatly furnished room; furnace heat; private family.

SLATTERY, 2507—2 front connecting rooms. Lindell 7023. (c10)

SULLIVAN, 3826—Well furnished rooms; private residence. COlfax 6428W. (c)

TAYLOR, 3533 N.—Lovely room, and board; private family. COlfax 2229W. (c3)

UNIVERSITY, 2503—2 housekeeping rooms, hot-water heat, private.

Northwest

ARLINGTON, 5438—Room for rent near General Motors.

ARLINGTON, 2705—2 rooms furnished housekeeping; heat; private family.

ARLINGTON, 2705—Furnished room; gentleman; private family; heat.

ASHLAND, 4825—2 furnished housekeeping rooms; sink, steam, garage; reasonable. (c)

CLAXTON, 4326—One light housekeeping room; all conveniences.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5959—2 light housekeeping; sink; modern; reasonable. (c)

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5517—2 neatly furnished housekeeping rooms.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4540A—Two light housekeeping rooms.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4756A—Furnished large kitchen and bedroom; heat; $8. (c)

GOODFELLOW, 8600 (2 blocks north of Florissant av.)—Beautiful front room for gentleman or 2 ladies who attend business daily; also garage if desired; corner house.

LABADIE, 5328—One small convenient; reasonable.

LABADIE, 4952—Small front room, private. FOrest 7769J. (c83)

LABADIE, 5326—2 connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; conveniences; adults.

LOTUS, 5152—Neat, clean room; private home, $4. FOrest 7357W. (c)

LOTUS, 5235—Fine room for gentleman; private home; reasonable. (c)

LOTUS, 5064 (was Garfield)—Housekeeping room, steam heat, phone.

MAFFITT, 4736A—Private family; all conveniences; people employed; Cass car.

MAFFITT, 5308—Sleeping room for 1 or 2 gentlemen; all conveniences. EVer. green 3885. (c)

NATURAL BRIDGE, 4829A—Sleeping room, private, conveniences, board optional; steam heat. (c)

ROOM—Warm; very reasonable. Call COlfax 3849R after 7 p. m. (c)

ST. LOUIS, 5314A—Furnished sleeping rooms near General Motors; convenience's.

SPALDING, 5659—2 large unfinished housekeeping rooms, bath, heat, gas, electric; private home $6.25.

UNION, 2610—2 connecting housekeeping front rooms $8. Evergreen 2514. (c)

UNION, 2412—Connecting light housekeeping, second floor front; every convenience; employed couple.

WAGNER, Pl., 1752 — Housekeeping rooms; furnished; $5.50, with kitchenette, $8.

WELLSMAR, 6437—(Wellston)—2 second floor front housekeeping rooms, $7.50; garage. (Cabany 3953J. (c)

South

ACCOMAC, 2850—Neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; single and connecting. (7)

ACCOMAC, 2844—Housekeeping, children welcome; real home; reasonable; janitor service.

ALBION PL., 2344—Nice rooms, neatly furnished; reasonable. Phone, Victor 4231W.

ANN, 2014—Nicely furnished room; southern exposure; hot-water heat; all conveniences.

ARMAND Pl., 2640A—Large, warm room, private family. Victor 1111W. (c)

ARSENAL, 2017—Furnished room, light housekeeping; phone; modern.

BGAINE, 3306—2 nice connecting housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.

BLAINE, 2966—Light housekeeping, sleeping; nicely furnished; $5 each. (c10)

BOTANICAL, 3985A—Front room; hall-room, 1 or 2; private; reasonable. (c99)

BROADWAY, 4070 S.—2 furnished rooms and kitchenette; steam heat; adults. (c99)

BROADWAY, 4819 S.—3 rooms, electric light, toilet inside; $23; garage.

CASTLEMAN, 4001—Nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms. (c83)

CALIFORNIA, 1807—One completely furnished housekeeping room with sink. (c)

CALIFORNIA, 4107—Convenient room, private Catholic family. Riverside 5838M.

CALIFORNIA, 1811—Two very choice completely furnished housekeeping rooms, thoroughly clean; sink, range; also one single room; reasonable to permanent parties.

CAROLINE, 3553A—2 or 3 housekeeping rooms; reasonable; conveniences.

CASTLEMAN, 4156—Beautiful furnished front room; private home; suitable for gentleman.

CASTLEMAN, 4063 — Nearly furnished housekeeping rooms; all conveniences. (c99)

CLEVELAND, 3970A—3 rooms and bath; $20.

CLEVELAND, 3866—Young man, to share room; also small room.

CLEVELAND, 3831—Room and board for 1 or 2; reasonable. FRospect 7961. (c)

CLEVELAND, 3823—Clean sleeping rooms, private home; very reasonable. (c)

CLEVELAND, 3849—South room, hot water, conveniences, reasonable; near cars.

CLEVELAND, 3858—2 furnished housekeeping rooms; conveniences; adults. (c2)

COMPTON, 1928 S.—Large front, warm housekeeping rooms; reasonable.

COMPTON, 1918A S.—3 rooms, complete gas, light, screens. (c83)

CONNECTICUT, 3839A—2 single or together; private. LaClede 6041. (c)

CONNECTICUT, 4273—Nicely furnished front, 1 or 2; convenient to cars. LaClede 1923. (c)

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EIGHTH, 1109 S.—Nicely furnished rooms, sleeping or light housekeeping. GArfield 6734. (c)

FAIRVIEW, 3654—Front room, kitchen; also large sleeping room; modern. (c)

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MISSOURI, 1405—Light housekeeping room; bath convenient; private home; reasonable. (c)

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CABANNE, 5133—Newly decorated room, not as good but better than the average; bright, cheerful home of adults. FOrest 5041W. (c92)

CATES, 5126A—2 light housekeeping rooms; $8 week. FOrest 8883R. (c7)

CATES, 5101—Warm room, second floor, $4. gentleman. FOrest 8488R.

CATES, 5111—Housekeeping rooms, $5; connecting, $7; gas range, phone, laundry. (c)

CATES, 5138—2 lovely rooms for light housekeeping; also hall room for sleeping; reasonable.

CLARA, 1357—2 beautiful rooms and kitchenette; private home, Parkview 4093. (c)

CLARA, 625—Very desirable rooms under new management; $6-$10 week. (c80)

CLARA, 535—Bright attractive; excellent; emulsified ochre; Apt. 10, Washington Hall. (c)

CLEMENS, 5736—Desirable, warm room; exceptional for single; breakfast optional. (10)

CLEMENS, 5694—Large, pleasant; all furnished; kitchen privileges.

CLEMENS, 5817—Apt. B, cozy front home like; gentlemen or couple; reasonable. (c)

CLEMENS, 5791—Room, housekeep; heat; private family. PArkview 5915. (c80)

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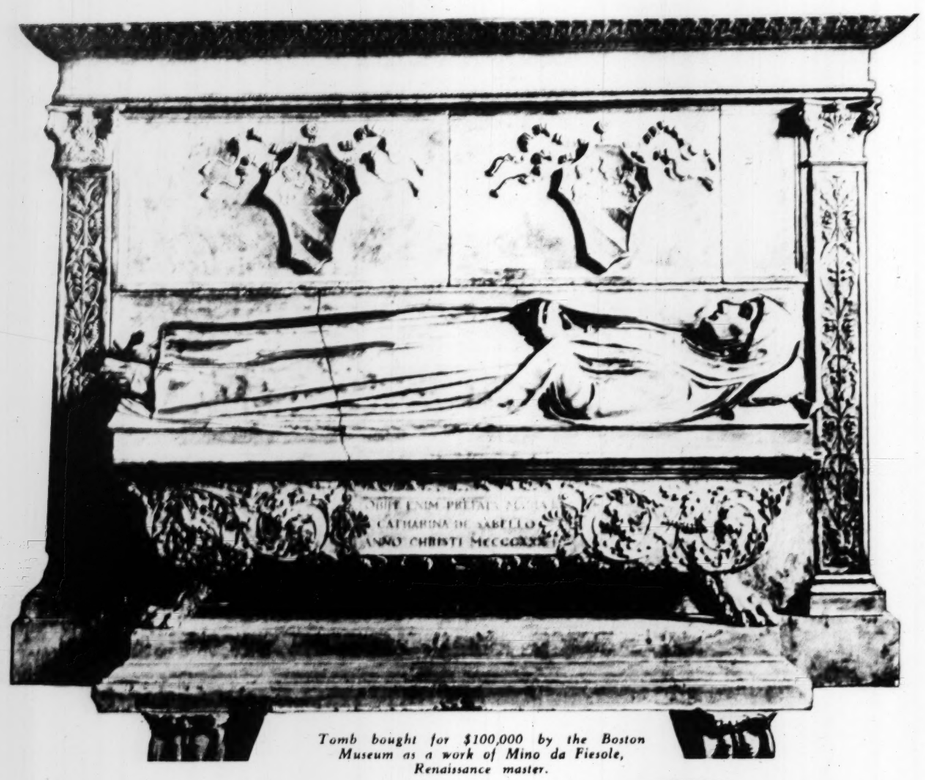


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THE ANNUAL TURNOVER

Painted by WILLIAM A. BYRNES of the Post-Dispatch Staff

American Museums Bought $1,000,000 Worth of Bogus Art



Tomb bought for $100,000 by the Boston Museum as a work of Mino da Fiesole, Renaissance master.

Experts' Investigation Revealed One Man—a Living Italian Wood Carver—as the Author of Numerous Works That Were Sold as Originals.



Archaic figure of Athena for which Cleveland Museum is said to have paid $300,000.



Copy of the Madonna bought by the Cleveland Museum for $18,000. It is a wood carving in polychrome.



Captain Piero Tozzi, the Italian expert, who ran down the fraud.

By ARTHUR STRAWN

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THAT America's leading art museums and collectors have been defrauded of at least $1,000,000 in the past 10 years for fake art objects passed off as original and rare works of the Renaissance is now an established fact as a result of the startling disclosures made by Captain Piero Tozzi, painter, art critic and former member of the Italian legation at Washington, whose investigations have brought to light the most daring and successful art swindle of modern times. The known victims of the swindler include the Metropolitan Museum of New York, the Boston Museum, the Cleveland Museum and the Frick collection, while Captain Tozzi estimates that there are perhaps a dozen other collectors who have been victimized but whose sense of pride will prevent them from making a public admission of the fact.

So skillfully were the bogus sculptures made that some of the world's foremost authorities on classical art were completely fooled, and even the late John Marshall, one of the world's most eminent archeologists, whose authority in his field was beyond question, was duped to the extent of advising the Metropolitan Museum to purchase one of the swindler's statues, confident that it was a genuine piece of archaic Greek art.

THE museum purchased the statue for several thousand dollars. It was of a Greek maiden of the type of art of about 500 B. C. Mr. Marshall had obtained it through a Venetian art dealer, who said it had recently been unearthed in Southern Italy in a tomb at the site of an ancient Greek colony in Etruria. This statement aroused Mr. Marshall's curiosity. No marble statue of that period had ever been found in Etruscan tombs. There are no marble quarries in that section of Italy, and the finding of such a statue would mean that the Etruscans had been importing Greek art at a much earlier period than was usually supposed. To Mr. Marshall as an archeologist this presented a problem of the utmost importance, and he immediately asked the Venetian dealer what else had been found in the tomb. The dealer said some terra cotta vases had also been found, but that they were broken. Mr. Marshall, however, asked to see the fragments, for from their age he would be able to decide definitely the age of the statue he had purchased and would thereby be able to determine the exact period when the Etruscans began to import Greek art.

The dealer promised to send some fragments, but he did not keep his promise. This made Mr. Marshall suspicious. On a visit to the United States (he spent most of his time in Rome) he went to the Metropolitan, studied the statue and convinced himself that it was a fraud. An excellent imitation, treated to give it the appearance of great age, but not a genuine work. Thereupon he advised the museum not to include the piece in their regular exhibitions, but to put it aside and to await further developments. The museum had apparently been "taken in," but it was not for a large amount, and it was just as well to let the matter rest. The statue was thereupon put aside in an inconspicuous corner of the basement and its acquisition remained unannounced to the public.

Then in the spring of 1926 a Florentine art dealer called on Mr. Marshall in Rome and tried to interest him in a fragment of a Greek relief which he said had been obtained from some excavations. The statue was brought to Mr. Marshall, who asked for a few days' time in which to study it. He thought he noticed a similarity between the fragment and the statue which he had previously bought for the Metropolitan, and he was too wise a man to be taken in a second time. A short examination of the piece convinced him that it was a fraud. He thereupon had a photograph taken of it, kept the picture for future reference and told the dealer that he didn't want the statue.

The similarity between the first and second statues showed him that the work was that of the same man. Mr. Marshall began to wonder who the man was and on how large a scale he was operating. While he was pondering these questions he received a letter from the Metropolitan Museum. The letter informed him that the museum had just been offered a fine marble tomb of Renaissance workmanship, sculptured by Mino da Fiesole, a pupil of Donatello. It was a rare piece of work, priced at $100,000, and the museum was willing to buy it, subject first to Mr. Marshall's approval.

Mr. Marshall wrote back and told the officials not to buy the work until an enlarged photograph of it had been sent to him. The photograph came and lo! Mr. Marshall immediately saw that the tomb had been sculptured by the same hand that had made the other two fakes he had seen. The dealer who had offered the tomb to the Metropolitan was a man of good reputation, who had purchased the work in entire good faith, convinced that it was genuine. Its origin could not be traced, as a number of dealers had handled it. The Metropolitan Museum turned it down, but the Boston Museum was convinced that it was genuine and bought it, and this $100,000 piece of carved marble can be seen there today unless it has recently been withdrawn from view.



"Greek fragment" which confirmed the expert John Marshall's suspicions of fraud.

THE situation had now become very serious. The statue previously rejected by Mr. Marshall had since then been purchased by the Cleveland Museum for a price said to have been $300,000. It was a statue of the Greek goddess Athena. Mr. Marshall was now determined to discover and expose the author of these swindles. And it was then that he turned to Captain Piero Tozzi, artist and expert in classical and Renaissance art.

"I knew Mr. Marshall well," said Captain Tozzi in explaining his part in exposing the swindles, "and as I had specialized for some time in tracing forgeries he came to me thinking that perhaps I might know who had made these pieces or who was engaged in turning out that type of work. I had studied forgeries, or reproductions, not only in Italy, but all over Europe, and had become familiar with the type of work done by different men. Strangely enough, I had just returned from the United States, where I had seen some of these spurious pieces when Mr. Marshall came to me. While in the United States I had gone through the Cleveland Museum with Mr. Millekin, the curator and was shown a fourteenth century Madonna in polychrome wood, said to be by Giovanni Pisano. I didn't like it and later told the European representative of the museum that it was a forgery. He denied it and held to his own opinion. It had cost the museum $18,000.

"Later I had gone to Boston, where, in the museum, I saw the tomb supposedly by Mino da Fiesole, which Mr. Marshall had rejected and which had cost the Boston Museum $100,000. The representative of the Cleveland Museum was with me at the time. I did not like to say directly to the director that I thought it a forgery, but later I said so to the Cleveland representative.

"When I returned to Italy Mr. Marshall asked me to learn the source of the forgeries of which he had photographs. Imagine my surprise when I recognized by Mr. Marshall's photographs that the pieces represented there and the ones I had seen in Cleveland and Boston were obviously by the same man!

"But who was the man? Where was he working, and how was he able to get his products into the hands of dealers able to dispose of them for hundreds of thousands of dollars? My investigations convinced me that many of the dealers who had sold the fraudulent pieces had themselves been deceived. Certain of the dealers, however, I was convinced, were a party to the fraud, and from them I could expect no help. At last I was able to establish pretty definitely the fact that at one time or another most of the pieces had been in the hands of a certain Florentine dealer or one in Rome. I also discovered that most of the statues had been chiseled out of the same kind of marble, Pantelic marble, which is imported into Italy from Greece, for it was the fact that the statues had been made of Greek marble which had been used as an argument in favor of their authenticity. I therefore made the rounds of the importers of marble to learn where the large shipments had gone. And by a process of elimination I got my man.

"His name is Alceo Dossena, who lives with his son, Alcide, in a studio in Rome. The father is a skilled carver in wood and stone, and the son is also a sculptor of talent. When confronted with my evidence Alceo Dossena frankly admitted that he was the author of the numerous museum pieces which had been passed off at high prices as genuine. But he protested that he had not been guilty of any attempt to deceive. He said he had been commissioned by certain art dealers in Italy to make copies for them of certain masterpieces or in the style of certain Renaissance masters. He had done so, he said, taking for granted that the pieces if sold to museums would be sold as copies and not as originals."

ACCORDING to Captain Tozzi, Dossena admitted to him that he has been engaged in making Renaissance copies since 1919. He made them for certain European dealers, who contracted to pay him a commission. Since Captain Tozzi's disclosures have been made Dossena has filed suit against several Italian dealers. He is demanding half a million lire, which he says is due him for works sold as his share of the commission and also as damages for defamation of character. The latter charge is the result of statements by the Italian dealers that they themselves were fooled by Dossena into believing the works he sold them were not by himself but by artists long dead.

The pending suit between Dossena and the art dealers who are believed to have financed him is expected to establish that neither has been guilty.

Of the American museums the most heavily hit seems to be the Cleveland Museum, which spent approximately $318,000, the Boston Museum $100,000 and the Frick collection $125,000. Representatives of these museums are now abroad trying to recover their losses. The Metropolitan Museum is apparently willing to accept its comparatively negligible loss for the satisfaction of having exposed the swindlers.

"Although the swindle was, of course, a reprehensible one," said Captain Tozzi in his New York studio, "the American collectors are largely to blame for it. American museums and private collectors are always trying to get art works that simply cannot be obtained at any price, because they are already owned by museums. Naturally, if a man with a lot of money insists on obtaining an unattainable art work, he is simply offering a bait to some clever imitator to fool him with a copy. And that is what has happened in this instance with the works of Dossena."

SCIENT

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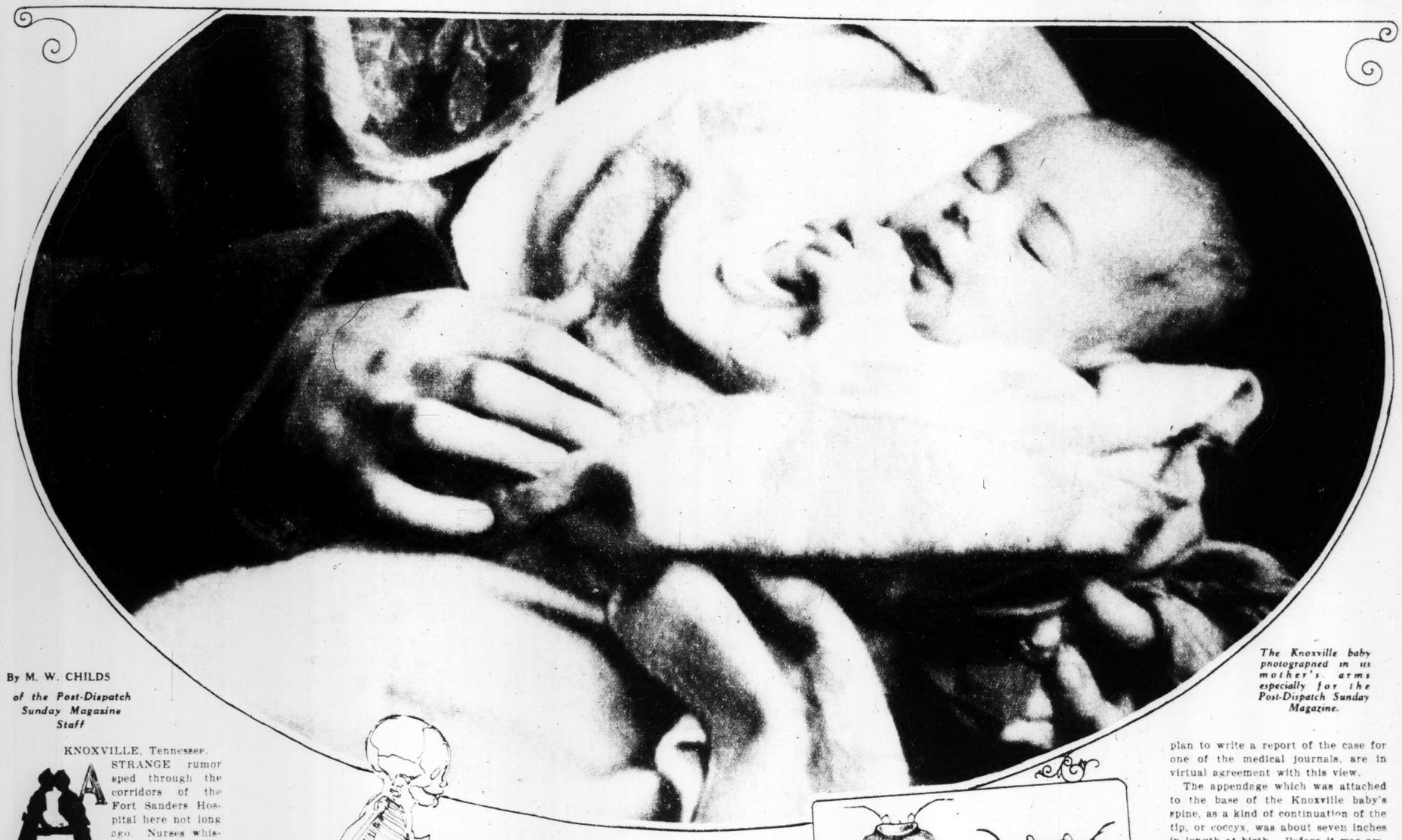
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SCIENTIFIC DISPUTE *over a* TENNESSEE BABY



The Knoxville baby photographed in its mother's arms especially for the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine.

Was It a Throwback to an Aboriginal Ancestor or a Mistake of Nature? Doctors Disagree but the Majority Opinion Favors the Former.

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"Such anomalies, while they are rare, are well known," Dr. Luttrell says. "Of a similar nature are the anomalous gills which I have seen in the throats of certain new-born children. They represent a throwback to an even earlier developmental period than the tails. I have seen children who were otherwise quite normal with this anomaly, and it is remedied beyond all possibility of detection by means of a simple operation. The tail that occasionally crops out in modern man goes back, undoubtedly, to a species of anthropoid ape. Whereas the gills go back to the period when man was a fish."

The other two physicians, who prefer to remain anonymous since they plan to write a report of the case for one of the medical journals, are in virtual agreement with this view.

The appendage which was attached to the base of the Knoxville baby's spine, as a kind of continuation of the tip, or coccyx, was about seven inches in length at birth. Before it was amputated, when the child was four weeks old, it had grown to a length of nearly eight inches and was two and one-half inches in circumference at its base. It did not taper symmetrically to a point, but was divided, more or less irregularly, into four segments, a large one at the base, next a small one, then a large one and at the end a small section.

IT IS made up, the operation disclosed, of skin and nervous and muscular tissue, in very much the same structural order as exists in other parts of the body. It is also believed to contain some cartilaginous matter and possibly some bone, although this will be in doubt until it is carefully dissected. The operation by which it was removed was a simple one, requiring only about 20 minutes to perform. The child recovered rapidly and, aside from a slight scar, it is probable that it will bear no trace of its inauspicious start in life. The doctors are of the opinion that if it had not been removed it would have grown to considerable size, as its rate of growth was seen to have been in proportion with that of the child's general development.

Over this fact—to consider the purely human phase—the family nearly split up. This came about, they now say, because of a joking remark which a doctor at the hospital made to the father. The latter was considerably downcast over the strange malformation of his child. The doctor joked with him one morning in the corridor.

"Why man," he said, "you shouldn't feel badly about this. Your fortune is made. You can get a thousand dollars a week exhibiting the child when she's a little older."

The doctor, of course, intended only to make a joke. But to the father it was an idea. A thousand dollars a week seemed actually within his reach. And the family has always been desperately in need of money. The father is a painter by trade, but he has always had difficulty finding work. He promptly informed his wife—this was eight days after the birth—that he would not permit an operation to remove the appendage.

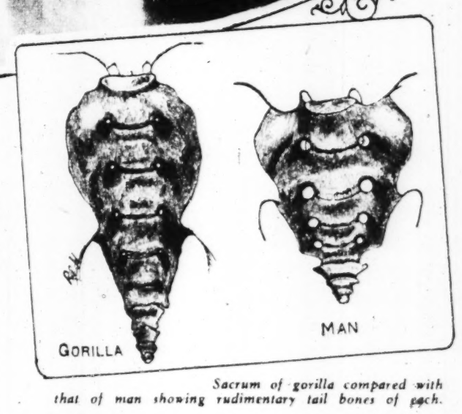
He insisted that she return home with the baby, although she was scarcely able as yet. Not long afterward he told her of his plan to exhibit the child when she grew older and establish the family fortune in this way.

The mother was horrified. To add to her distress the newspapers here

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Diagram showing the exact point on the normal skeleton where the tail was attached.



Sacrum of gorilla compared with that of man showing rudimentary tail bones of each.

The BIOLOGICAL VIEW of the KNOXVILLE CASE

UNTIL the most careful research is carried out the precise nature of the Knoxville child's malformation cannot be determined, scientists in St. Louis agree. They point out that it might be one of three things: a spina bifida, the deformity which results when the spinal column fails to close at some point; a tumor-like growth of a particular type which is usually found in the region of the coccyx; or a tail in the sense that it is a rare outcropping of what was normal to the entire race millions of years ago.

It will be necessary to analyse the nervous, muscular and epidermal tissue microscopically. And for this purpose the specimen will be sent to Dr. Adolph H. Schultz, professor of physical anthropology at Johns Hopkins University.

If it cannot be explained in any other way, it is logical to believe that it is a tail, according to Dr. Frank Blair Hanson, professor of zoology at Washington University.

"It is the most logical theory to assume that otherwise inexplicable appendages of this nature are tails—atavistic anomalies," Dr. Hanson says. "It should be remembered that the human being, in embryonic life, passes through many of the evolutionary stages which he has progressed beyond in his life on this planet. At a certain stage of embryonic development—the end of the fifth week—the caudal projection attains its maximum length in humans. At that time it is the dominant structure."

Dr. Hanson pointed out that from this time forward the structural intimations of a tail, partially laid down by nature, begin to disappear. And they completely disappear until all that is left in the anatomy of the child at birth are the vestigial tail bones, called the coccyx.

In the view of Dr. Robert J. Terry, professor of anatomy at Washington University medical school, there is nothing very extraordinary about the fact of a child having been born with a tail, if, indeed, the appendage of the Knoxville baby can be so regarded.

"While they are rare, they are well known," Dr. Terry said. "One or two anthropologists have done considerable work on tails. They occur infrequently and sometimes along with other anomalies."

As an example of survival, Dr. Terry cited the muscles which still exist in man which were originally used to move the tail, both up and down and laterally. They have been modified since man has walked erect and has lost the need for his tail until now they serve—greatly modified—as the supporting wall of the pelvis, which, in turn, sustains the viscera.

Although no cause can be assigned for the appearance of anomalies, such as the tail, it is believed that they occur most frequently where there is intermarriage between families through several generations. Thus isolated communities in the mountains, say, are most likely to give rise to monsters, which is the medical term by which all anomalous individuals are designated.

In a volume written by Dr. George M. Gould and Dr. Walter L. Pyle, called "Anomalies and Curiosities of Medicine," there is considerable discussion of the appearance of tails.

"The prolongation of the coccyx sometimes takes the shape of a caudal extremity in man," the authors say. "Broca and others claim that the sacrum and the coccyx represent the normal tail of man, but examples are not infrequent in which there has been a fleshy or bony tail appended to the coccygeal region. Traditions of tailed men are old and widespread and tailed races were supposed to reside in almost every country. There was at one time an ancient belief that all Cornishmen had tails and certain men of Kent were said to have been afflicted with tails in retribution for their insults to Thomas a Becket. Struys, a Dutch traveler in Formosa in the seventeenth century, describes a wild man caught and tied for execution who had a tail more than a foot long which was covered with red hair like that of a cow.

"There was reported from Caracas the discovery of a tribe of Indians in Paraguay who were provided with tails. Many ancient authorities give descriptions of tails. Virchow received for examination a tail three inches long amputated from a boy of eight weeks. Ornstein, chief physician of the Greek army, described a Greek of 26, who had a hairless conical tail, free only at the tip, two inches long and containing three vertebrae. He also remarks that other instances have been observed in recruits. Thirk of Broussa in 1820 described the tail of a Kurd of 22 which contained four vertebrae.

"Before the Berlin Anthropological Society there were presented two adult male Papuans, in good health and spirits, who had been brought from New Guinea; their coccygeal bones projected one and one-half inches. Oliver Wendell Holmes in the Atlantic Monthly, June, 1890, says that he saw in London a photograph of a boy with a considerable tail. The 'Moi Boy' was a lad of 12 who was found in Cochin China, with a tail a foot long. Bartels presents a very complete article in which he describes 21 persons born with tails, most of the tails being merely protuberances. Darwin speaks of a person with a fleshy tail.

"A scientific magazine contains a description of a Negro child born near Louisville, eight weeks old, with a pedunculated tail two and one-half inches long, with a base one and one-fourth inches in circumference. The tail had grown one-quarter inch since birth. It showed no signs of cartilage or bone and had its origin from a point slightly to the left of the median line and about an inch above the end of the spinal column.

"Another case was recently reported of the birth of a child with a tail. It was a well-developed female between five and one-half and six pounds in weight. The coccyx was covered with skin on both the anterior and posterior surfaces. It thus formed a tail of the size of the nail of the little finger, with a length of nearly three-sixteenths of an inch on the inner surface and three-eighths of an inch on the rear surface."

Newest Chapter in Florence Maybrick's Harassed Life



Mrs. Florence Maybrick at the time she was sentenced to prison.

Woman Who Was Central Figure in One of the World's Famous "Murder" Cases Is Reported Heiress to a Fortune Which She Says Will Go Toward Confirming Her Innocence.



The Baroness von Roque, Mrs. Maybrick's mother.



Aylesbury Prison.



Justice James Fitz-James Stephen.

By a Member of the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine Staff

AN INCIDENT in the news has served to recall one of the most celebrated "murder" cases of the last century. At the same time it is disclosed that the woman who was found guilty of murder is still alive. She is living like a shadow behind an anonymity that she preserves with the most painstaking care.

Florence Elizabeth Maybrick was accused of poisoning her husband in 1889. She was tried, found guilty, and condemned to death but Queen Victoria, in response to a petition bearing a half-million names, ordered her sentence commuted to a life term, of which she served 15 years.

Now a dispatch from London states that a British subject, who lives in Paris, Walter Thomas Burrell, has left her approximately $726,000. No reason for the bequest is given nor can any be discovered. Mrs. Maybrick's attorneys in London state that she is living in Florida under a pseudonym. They will say nothing more about her present circumstances.

The Maybrick case aroused international interest almost comparable to that which was stirred up on two continents by the Sacco-Vanzetti affair. Although, of course, in the case of the American woman who was tried for the murder of her English husband in England there was no political element. On both sides of the Atlantic belief in Mrs. Maybrick's innocence was widespread. But regardless of the incessant agitation in her behalf she served 15 years, which was as long as the average woman life-termer served at that time. During those years new evidence was continually being brought up, petitions presented, pleas made, diplomatic conversations begun, but the Crown exacted what was then the maximum penalty from Florence Maybrick.

Looking back from this distance of time it seems incredible that she was ever convicted. The prosecution hung its whole case on a fragile chain of circumstantial evidence.

SOME understanding of the background is necessary. Mrs. Maybrick was the daughter of a wealthy Mobile, Alabama, banker, of the old and distinguished Chandler family. She was reared in an epoch when the wealthy believed that their children, to have any culture and breeding, must be kept in Europe for a greater part of their childhood and adolescence. Nurses, tutors and governesses dragged little Florence Chandler about from city to city and watering place to watering place on the Continent.

When she was 17 she met James Maybrick. He was 20 years older than she, a man of the world with important commercial interests in both England and America. After a brief courtship they became engaged.

Both mother and daughter regarded James Maybrick as a great catch. The father had died leaving them a vast tract of land that was spread out over parts of Virginia, West Virginia and Kentucky and other wealth beside. The mother spent a considerable part of her time abroad now, too, and it was only a few years after her daughter's marriage that she took a second husband in the person of the Austrian Baron von Roque.

As the wife of James Maybrick the young American girl made some discoveries that even her European background had not prepared her for. Mr. Maybrick, she learned in the first years of their marriage, was an arsenic eater. He had taken the poison for a long time for its tonic and aphrodisiac effects, beginning with small doses and gradually increasing until at the time of their marriage he was able to consume during a day enough to kill four or five men. When occasionally he missed his lunch at noon he would take an arsenical pick-me-up in its stead. And he often took it before dinner as one would take a cocktail. It is believed that he may have experimented with other poisons and drugs from time to time, too.

THERE is some evidence to show that he was brutal to his wife, although they lived very well and she had almost every luxury she could wish for, just as she had had all her life. Her husband owned, for example, one of the finest yachts of the period with a particularly well equipped music saloon. They spent much time aboard with Maybrick's brothers, Edwin and Michael, the latter well known as a composer under the pseudonym of Stephen Adams. It is said that Mrs. Maybrick was the first person ever to sing "The Holy City," which her brother-in-law wrote and first made known aboard his brother's yacht. Husband and wife seemed, insofar as outsiders could judge, fairly happy together.

Not long before Maybrick's death, however, certain things happened. One story that has a certain basis of truth is told as follows: Mrs. Maybrick rode with a party of friends as the guest of a young Londoner, Arthur Brierly, in a tallyho to one of the most important English race meets. Her husband was not a member of the party, which was said to have been given in his wife's honor. He appeared at the race track, however, and there quarreled violently with his wife. In the course of the quarrel he struck her just beneath the left eye with his fist and a large signet ring that he was wearing made a deep gash. Brierly walked away without interfering. Shortly after this incident Mrs. Maybrick consulted an attorney with a view to securing a separation but no formal steps were taken and she was apparently reconciled to her husband.

On the last day of March, 1889, James Maybrick died after an illness of eight days. His wife had sat by his bedside, supplementing the nurses, almost continuously until 36 hours before his death, when she herself collapsed and was put to bed. When she recovered consciousness, she learned that her husband had died. A nurse told her peremptorily that she was under surveillance, that she could not leave the house. She asked for her children. She was told that Michael Maybrick had taken them away. Finally she heard many footsteps on the stair. Police constables invaded the room and told her she was under arrest. Even though she protested that she was ill they took her to jail at once.

Florence Maybrick's ordeal had begun. She soon learned that the two Maybrick brothers were her accusers. After her husband's death, while she was still unconscious, they had set to work to gather every possible bit of evidence against her.

It was fragmentary at best, as was shown at the trial. Perhaps the most damaging piece of evidence introduced was the letter which Mrs. Maybrick had written to Brierly during her husband's illness and which had been intercepted by the children's nurse, Alice Yapp. Out of this letter was drawn the intimation that Mrs. Maybrick had spent a week-end at a London hotel with Brierly. This, it is believed, had a great influence on the jury. It established a motive for the prosecution—the desire to be rid of her husband so that she might marry her lover—although the letter itself contained no such suggestion.

AS THE trial progressed Mrs. Maybrick learned that she had been under suspicion during the last three or four days that her husband had been ill. Alice Yapp and her husband's nurses had been set to watch her. An autopsy disclosed a slight amount of arsenic in the body but not sufficient to have caused death. It was represented by the prosecution, however, that some of the poison had been thrown off during the course of the illness and the two brothers came forward to offer as evidence the various quantities of arsenic that they had found about the house. The prosecution sought to show that Mrs. Maybrick had used a subtle knowledge of slow poisoning to end her husband's life. And for some inexplicable reason the defense failed to introduce evidence to show that the dead man was an arsenic addict.

A small amount of arsenic was found in a bottle of meat juice that had at one time been administered to Maybrick. But Mrs. Maybrick had an explanation for this. She said her husband had asked her to put some white powder in the bottle before she gave him a small bit of the juice in a cup. She had complied, she testified, knowing her husband's habits.

Alice Yapp testified, also, that she had seen Mrs. Maybrick soaking poisoned flypaper in her room and it was shown that this paper had been coated with arsenic. Mrs. Maybrick said in answer to this that she had used the solution so derived as a bleach for her complexion. There were many discrepancies, as was pointed out later by a distinguished British barrister. Of this phase of the testimony he wrote:

"The Crown met the loose way in which this arsenic was left lying about by pointing out that Mrs. Maybrick left damaging letters lying about in the same incautious manner. She was no doubt an incautious person. But could such an incautious person have carried out such a murder as she was accused of, without being detected at a much earlier stage, and with much greater certainty? It was necessary for the Crown counsel to represent her at one time as cunning and artful to a degree —conversant with all the modes of slow poisoning, and a most accomplished hypocrite besides—and at another time to represent her as exhibiting the most extraordinary want of caution, buying poison openly, steeping it openly, leaving it in places accessible to everyone, leaving along with it clear proofs of her presence, and calling in additional doctors and nurses to add to the risks of detection. But the fact is that even if Mrs. Maybrick had possessed the requisite knowledge to enable her to murder her husband by slow poisoning, she was too incautious a person to have escaped detection in the process."

Sympathy for her grew throughout the trial, which aroused the most intense interest. There were very few who believed that she would be found guilty. All this time Mrs. Maybrick was under the greatest mental and physical strain. The jail in which she was confined was antiquated even for that period and to a woman always accustomed to the most pleasant and comfortable surroundings it naturally seemed horrible. She pinned her hope on what she regarded as virtually certain—her ultimate freedom.

Those who were most optimistic had failed to take into account the trial judge, however. Sir James Fitzjames Stephen held a most serious view of adultery. When prosecution and defense had rested, he delivered a charge to the jury that amounted to a passionate denunciation of Mrs. Maybrick. It might almost have served the prosecuting attorney as a summation. For two days it went on. The jury returned after being out only an hour and 50 minutes to announce a verdict of guilty. The penalty was fixed at death.

A great wave of agitation followed. Not only the Queen but the Prince and Princess of Wales were petitioned. Everyone felt that Queen Victoria should have freed Mrs. Maybrick outright, particularly since a little less than a year after the trial Sir James Fitzjames Stephen became mentally unbalanced.

NEW evidence was continually being brought up. In 1894 it was conclusively shown that Maybrick had taken arsenic for many years preceding his death. This was proved through the discovery by friends of Mrs. Maybrick of a business man in Ireland who had been interested in experimenting with various kinds of bleaches for linen. At one time Maybrick had had a slight business connection with him and this man swore that he had given Maybrick considerable amounts of arsenic at one time or another when the latter had asked him for it, complaining that his doctors would not prescribe it for him.

Ultimately Mrs. Maybrick was confined in Aylesbury Prison, where she suffered great privation. At that time the cells were not heated and conditions generally were even more primitive than they are now. During the last years she served her lot was made somewhat easier when she was given work in the library rather than the more menial tasks which had been hers before.

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She returned to America at once, without even attempting to see her children, who were still in Michael Maybrick's custody. In this country she found many supporters who had believed throughout in her innocence. Her arrival in New York somewhat resembled a triumph with thousands at the pier to greet her and thousands gathered outside her hotel.

DURING the course of the murder trial she had delegated her legal rights to an attorney in New York. She now claimed that he had robbed her of almost all the property her father had left her by a bit of legal legerdemain, part trickery, partly within the law. She and her mother immediately started suit against this man to recover their holdings, variously estimated to be worth from $2,500,000 to $20,000,000.

The long and complicated lawsuit lasted nearly four years. They charged that the attorney, after having sold one tract in Kentucky for $85,000, represented that the whole property, comprising 2,500,000 acres, was worth only $10,000, and bought it himself for that price. The tract the attorney had sold for $85,000 represented only one-thirtieth of the entire property.

In this affair and in other difficulties that she encountered Mrs. Maybrick and her mother had the aid of firm friends in America who believed devoutly in their innocence. Many of these had worked for 15 years in the effort to secure a pardon for Mrs. Maybrick. Some had been complete strangers to her before the tragedy. A Dr. and Mrs. Densmore, perhaps the stanchest supporters the condemned woman had in this country, took charge of her on her arrival in New York and a day or two later took her with them to a secluded home in the Catskills, where Mrs. Maybrick was able to be free for a time from staring eyes.

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A Michigan swamp after a snow fall.

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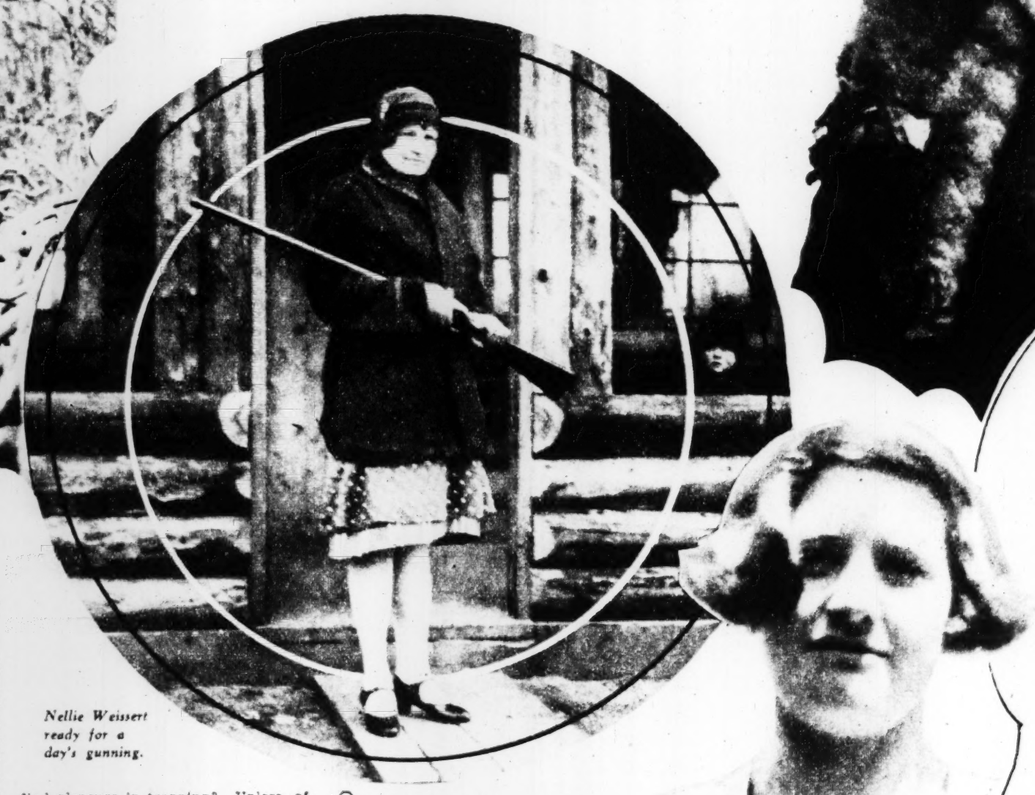
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Nellie Weissert ready for a day's gunning.



Mrs. Leslie Farrell, better known as Nellie Weissert.



Gertrude Bennett, another Michigan girl trapper, who recently gave it up.

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Wolves caught by the woman trapper.

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ESCANABA, Michigan.

WHEN the snow is deep in the swamps of Upper Michigan, the woodsmen along Ford River peer from their cabins at dawn not infrequently to make out the figure of a woman in man's attire trudging on snowshoes into the cut-over wilderness of birch and spruce and cedar that stretches away to the northward. Usually she carries a rifle or shotgun and, as often as not, the carcass of some animal of the woods. The black and white stripes of a skunk or the ringed tail of a raccoon may be discerned in the dim light of early morning. Sometimes it's a live fox, for this Diana of the North Woods takes them in, snarling and snapping. Sometimes it's the pelt of a timber wolf just peeled from the back of its erstwhile wearer beside some steel-jawed trap in the brush.

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Since she was 12 years old, Nellie Weissert has been a trapper. At the age at which the average girl discards her dolls and takes up girl scout activities, Nellie knew as much about woodcraft as a seasoned hunter. She knew how to ride and shoot, how to find the dens of wild animals in the forest, how to set traps and conceal them, how to skin game and stretch the hides. At 12, she made her first catch. It was a skunk and it got into one of her steel traps set back of the Weissert farmhouse in the edge of the swamp. From that time on the lure of trapping was never to be shaken off. Each autumn since then she has set out her line of traps in the nearby swamps and for miles along the Ford River. During her 15 years in the business she has caught virtually every species of fur-bearing animal the North affords except a wolverine. Raccoons, skunks, muskrats, wolves and foxes have been taken by the dozen. Several times she has found a mink, a marten or a badger held fast by the foot. Once she got an otter, and on two or three occasions a black bear!

THIS huntress of the North was not long in discovering that trapping affords other sources of revenue besides sale of furs. She learned to bring animals in alive and build cages for them out of chicken wire. They reproduced and, in a short time, she had a small menagerie. Once or twice she made brief forays into the show business, hauling her animals on trucks and exhibiting them in several small towns of the upper peninsula. She found, too, that she could get more for an animal on foot than she could get for the hide. Zoos, circuses and sometimes individual collectors would pay handsomely for foxes, wolves, bears and raccoons. She sold a great many of the smaller animals to such buyers and twice she sold captive black bears. One of these had been trapped and brought in when full grown. Another was caught as a cub and brought up in captivity.

Even if she found no ready sale for the animals alive there was nothing lost through keeping them in reserve, for by doing so she could kill them and take the furs when the animals were full grown and at the time of year when the fur was best.

For the last 10 years or so she has never been without several cages of captives on the place. At one time she had 103 skunks, most of them raised from a few pairs caught in traps. She fed them and handled them every day, and not once, she declares, did she suffer the disastrous consequences commonly suffered when people get too close to skunks. A hundred and three of the animals, if angered, were enough to drive the whole county into gas masks, but Nellie Weissert's pets, it appears, never took advantage of their terrific potentiality.

When I visited the Weissert farm recently, three miles south of here on the Ford River road, the place seemed to be clear of skunks. They had long since been converted into coats. But other furry natives of the forest were plentiful. Two black bears, almost full grown, stood erect in their woven wire pen and cuffed each other. They had been caught as cubs and domesticated to the point at which bears come to expect candy and a good deal of attention from strangers. Another pen contained wolves considerably less domesticated. The barn sheltered a pair of raccoons and in other pens black, red and cross foxes scurried about. The black and cross foxes, handsome and valuable animals, had been purchased for breeding purposes.

The owner expects eventually to operate a fox farm, but while she is getting her stock assembled she is finding another way in which to make her captive animals pay a profit. In the summer when trapping is suspended she conducts a soft drink and sandwich stand in a log cabin across the road from her home and surrounds the place with caged animals. Tourists passing by—and there are thousands of them in the summer driving up and down the Green Bay coast—stop to see the menagerie and, having stopped, spend their money at Nellie Weissert's stand. Last summer she put over another business coup that indicated a talent for something besides trapping. She engaged members of four Northern tribes of Indians to hold their ceremonial dances at her place for two weeks. She paid the Indians $10 apiece and charged admission to the dances. On some days the crowds were so great she had to get traffic officers from Escanaba to keep the highway clear. She reaped a rich harvest in admissions and soft-drink sales and then got back most of the money she had paid the Indians in advance, for money in the pocket of an Indian burns furiously. They camped nearby and her soft-drink stand was handy.

A robustious Diana is Nellie Weissert. Her appearance easily bears out the neighborly testimony that she "ain't scared of the devil" or anything else, and that's one of the most essential qualifications of a North Woods trapper. Only the hardiest can cope with a tamarack swamp. Far different from the easily threaded forests of the Middle West are these trackless swamps of Upper Michigan. Except along the lake shore, Delta and Schoolcraft counties are sparsely settled. Many years ago the lumbermen cut off the great pine forests and in their place has sprung up a dense and tangled second growth of evergreen, birch and yellow poplar. Back a few miles from civilization the country becomes a veritable jungle, through which the sun's rays scarcely penetrate. Landmarks are few and it is easy for an experienced woodsman to lose his way, sometimes with dire consequences. Such occurrences are not uncommon. During the deer-hunting season just closed, in fact, August Kleist, a wealthy theater owner of Pontiac, Michigan, became separated from a hunting party in the woods of Schoolcraft County, north of Manistique. Realizing several hours later that he was lost, his companions began a search which continued for days. They fired guns and built signal fires, but he was never found alive. Some two weeks later they came upon his body in the snow, where he had been overcome by exhaustion.

NELLIE WEISSERT once was lost in a swamp under somewhat similar conditions. She told me that was the only time in her career that she was badly frightened. For two days she wandered, unarmed and without food, the brush tearing her clothes and scratching her face and arms. At night she heard the howl of wolves and the cries of other wild things in the woods. Finally, she came upon a river and escaped from the thicket by floating down the stream on a crudely constructed raft of logs. Another time she was lost for six hours and climbed a tree, where she perched until her father, alarmed at her failure to return with nightfall, came out on her trail, firing a shotgun now and then as a signal. Hearing the shots, she scrambled down from the tree and hastened in the direction of the sound. Presently she found herself in familiar territory, a short distance from home.

She told also of some other exciting moments of her life in the backwoods. There was the time 10 years ago when she went with a group of young folk to a party. Upon starting home late in the night they heard so many wolves ahead that all hands fled back to the cabin to wait for daylight. She explains, however, that wolves, as a rule, won't attack human beings. They are the most cowardly of beasts, except in the dead of winter, when hunger emboldens them.

There was the occasion, not entirely without excitement, when she caught a wildcat in a trap and carried it home—18 miles—alive. She accomplished that by fastening it in a box before she released it from the trap. Then she hauled the box home in a wagon.

The catching of her first bear was likewise a thrilling event. It was brought home alive, too, but she didn't bring it. She rounded up a couple of woodsmen, one of whom held the animal's head down with a forked pole while the other fastened a chain around its neck. Then they anchored the chain to the middle of a long pole and came in, a man at each end, leading the beast between them. This started a romance, incidentally, for one of the men was Leslie Farrell, whom she afterwards married. She kept the bear for several months and one day when the family were all away at an uncle's funeral—an opportunity for which she had been waiting, she says—she entered the animal's wire pen armed with a club and a washtub. When the bear made for her she threw the tub over his head and administered a rain of smart whacks with the club. The bear fled into his cage. Following up her victory, she then chased him out again into the pen and back into the cage. She kept that up until he would obey commands without club persuasion. It wasn't long until he was an educated bear. She sold him later to an animal show in Detroit.

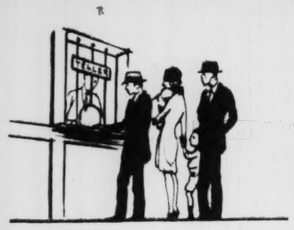
"SOME funny things have happened to me," the huntress relates. "Once I found a raccoon caught by the toes. The trap barely held it. I turned a lard can over it, and just as I did so the coon got free from the trap. Had I left the can or lifted it the coon would have got away, so I had to sit there holding it down. I was there from 6 in the morning until 5 in the afternoon before I finally attracted some men who were passing by on the road half a mile away. They brought boards, which we slipped under the coon, stopping the open end of the can.

"Another time my dogs treed two coons in one tree. I went out with a shotgun and just as I was taking aim at one a third coon that I hadn't seen came dashing out of a brushpile, with the dogs close on its heels. I happened to be in its path, and it climbed me as if I had been a tree. It was on my chest, with its sharp claws almost in my face, before I could beat it off with my gun. The dogs caught it and I shot the other two. I came in from that hunt with three coons, and that wasn't a bad day's work."

About the only rival Nellie Weissert has in this part of the country is Gertrude Bennett, who lives on a farm above Rapid River, 30 miles northeast of here. Miss Bennett, now 26 years old, also has been a trapper from childhood, specializing in wolves, for which she gets a bounty of $10 each, in addition to revenue from the hides. In past seasons she has turned in many a pelt, but this winter she tired of trapping and went away for an extended visit, leaving her 10-mile trap line in the care of a younger brother and leaving supremacy among women trappers to Nellie Weissert. Miss Bennett is also a deer hunter of note. Indeed, about the last thing she did before leaving home recently was to go out and bring down a 200-pound buck. According to the testimony of the proud younger brother, she fired four times at the buck, which was running at full speed, and three bullets took effect, one striking the animal in the eye.

They might be ill at ease in a ballroom, these Michigan Amazons, who strangle wolves with ropes and carry live foxes in by the tail; they may not be as other women are as to delicacy and sensibilities. But if the other women are to wear pretty furs, somebody must do the dirty work. Nellie Weissert and Gertrude Bennett, it may be stated, are doing their share of it.

Georgia Banker's Homecoming —*Under Arrest*



John D. Walker.



John D. Walker Left the State With Another's Wife Eleven Years Ago for a Two Weeks' Vacation.



Walker, with his attorney.



Department of Justice circular, with description of Walker.

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine

ATLANTA, Georgia.

WYNNE hesitated. The call seemed to come from a closed automobile, parked not a dozen paces from his pleasant home in Great Neck, Long Island, which he had just left on his way to work. As he paused it came again, in an amiable masculine voice:

"Mr. Walker."

Instinctively Wynne stepped up to the side of the machine. In it was a Government operative. And so "David J. Wynne" passed from Great Neck and the New York bond house for which he was a modestly successful salesman, and John D. Walker, at 57, came home a few days ago to Sparta—whence he departed 11 years ago on a "two weeks' vacation"—to answer charges of embezzling $7000.

Much water has gone under the bridge since that day in 1917 when Walker, leaving his complex affairs in the hands of an associate and announcing he was going to take a little vacation, fled the State with another man's wife. Then he was fiscal agent for 100 small banks and handled some $1,500,000 for them annually. He was lay leader of the North Georgia Methodist conference. He was the Mayor of Sparta, and he was a member of one of the most prominent families in Georgia. Since then he has been an oil operator in Texas, a real estate dealer in Honolulu, a success in various businesses in Japan and China, and the manager of a credit bureau for merchants in Victoria, British Columbia. Many of the banks whose affairs he handled have closed their doors; one cashier has killed himself. And when Walker was arrested he had just 65 cents.

The Government alleges that on March 27, 1915, while Walker was Mayor, chairman of the Bond Commission and president of the First National Bank of Sparta, he contrived to get into his possession and control certain bonds, funds and credits to the value of $7000 belonging to the city, and other bonds at Thomson, Georgia, to the value of $2000, using his banking positions to accomplish this. It is further charged that he converted the bonds to his own financial benefit, one count being that he obtained a $7000 loan through an Atlanta brokerage house by using the bonds as collateral and that the Sparta bank never received proper reimbursement.

"I handled around $1,500,000 annually for my banks," Walker scoffed. "Do you suppose I'd be senseless enough to take a mere $7500 from a national bank? Do I look like a man of no more intelligence than that? It's absurd! Why, I lent a New York banker $25,000 while we were riding around in a taxicab one night."

Many of the banks which Walker represented closed their doors one by one after his disappearance, few without loss to stockholders and depositors. His own First National Bank, at Sparta, was reorganized, but depositors lost no money. The affairs of his parent institution were linked with those of the Bank of Sparta. On May 1, 1921, while an investigation of Walker's affairs was under way, J. D. Burnett, cashier of the Bank of Sparta, shot and killed himself.

IN THE domestic, rather than the financial, phase of Walker's career is the greater interest centered. His son, John D. Walker Jr., was among the first to rush to his father's aid when the ex-banker was returned to Atlanta, coming here from Sparta, where the banker's first wife, who divorced him after his disappearance, now resides.

The "other woman" in the case, according to Department of Justice records, is reported to have left the State with Walker in 1917. She was divorced by John Stewart, a jeweler in Athens, Georgia, and is described in the official circular calling for Walker's arrest as being "very loyal" to the ex-banker. She and her two children, Jack and Frances Stewart, were with Walker in Victoria, later went to California, and are reported to have been with him at Great Neck when the banker was arrested.

Friends of Walker at Sparta declared that Walker, at the time of his arrest on a State warrant, said that his business in Georgia was "all right" when he left, but that he was ashamed to return because he had left the State with another man's wife. Just when and where he married this woman is not known here, as Walker declined to discuss that phase of the case upon his return.

Walker, before he fled, was an influential figure in Georgia business, religious and political life. As a member of the State Senate he was author of an agricultural measure that won him the friendship of farmers; as the State manager for Woodrow Wilson in the 1912 campaign, he achieved both state-wide and national reputation, and as lay leader of the North Georgia Methodist Church and trustee of Wesleyan College at Macon, the oldest chartered women's institution in the country, he ranked high in the councils of his church.

As financial agent and adviser for more than 100 small banks, he was the guiding figure in the operation of small banks in Georgia, Eastern Alabama and Florida. These banks were all community institutions, with from $15,000 to $25,000 capital each, operating under the parent First National Bank of Sparta. Walker received a fee from each one to represent them in State and national operations.

On leaving for his "vacation" soon after completing his term as State Senator, Walker delegated to Robert Holmes, then vice president of the Sparta bank, and associated with him in the banking enterprises, the necessary authority to "carry on" while he was away. Shortly after he left it was rumored that the banker was "gone for good," and then came word of the fact that the Athens jeweler's wife also was missing.

THE small banks became involved in financial difficulties, none of which were charged to Walker except that his absence brought about obstacles unsurmountable without his direction, and the case soon dropped from the public eye, to reappear in 1921. Walker was located in San Antonio, Texas, dealing in oil wells, lands and securities.

"If they had let me alone there," complained Walker after his arrest, "I would have had a million dollars. Some of the leases I bought for 10 and 15 cents an acre are worth thousands. But they decided I should not be left alone, so I had to leave."

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GRAND OPERA BABY *and* HER MUSICAL ROMANCE

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine



NEW YORK.

TEN years ago Max Rosen, then a violinist of 18, made his debut in Carnegie Hall and caused a sensation. Five years later a young soprano named Nanette Guilford made her debut in the Metropolitan Opera House at the age of 18 and provoked another outburst of enthusiasm. Three years ago these two young stars of the musical firmament met, looked deeply into one another's eyes and fell in love. And on Thanksgiving day they again surprised their friends and a large public following with the announcement that they had been secretly married on November 23.

If their friends and their public had been the only ones surprised by the announcement of the marriage the event might be set down as another romance of the opera, where marriages between artists are regarded as interesting but not unusual. But the truth of the matter is that the most surprised of all were the parents of the young couple, and therein lies the story of a romance which might well form the plot of one of the operas in which the young bride would find herself quite appropriately cast in the leading role.

For the parents of Nanette Guilford and of Max Rosen were opposed to the marriage. She is an only child and has always made her home with her father and mother in New York. Her parents had heard Rosen play and admired him greatly as an artist. And when the young violinist first began calling on their daughter shortly after meeting her three years ago, they were quite charmed with him personally, for he is an exceedingly likable person, possessed of an animated disposition and utterly free from the conceit that usually mars the personal charm of most artists. He likes sports, can get terribly excited over a prize fight and is himself no poor opponent in a chess match. In short, he is not only a highly regarded artist, but an exceptionally likable human being, and Miss Guilford's parents took to him immediately.

THEY liked him for what he was and also because he liked their daughter. But when it began to be apparent that his feeling for her was steadily becoming deeper than one of mere affection, and that she was showing unmistakable symptoms of reciprocating that feeling whole heartedly, Nanette's parents became alarmed. For one thing, they thought Nanette was too young to get married—she was only 20 when she met Rosen. Furthermore, they were terribly afraid that marriage might seriously interfere with her career.

At about the same time an almost parallel situation was developing at the Rosen menage. Max has been living with his father. The two have been inseparable companions ever since the father gave his boy his first fiddle lesson more than 20 years ago. Nothing was so important to Papa Rosen's way of looking at things as Max's music. And then Papa Rosen noticed that Max



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and his music weren't getting along as well as usual. Max still devoted hours to practice, but his mind every once in a while seemed to wander a good distance away from the beautiful $25,000 Stradivarius tucked under his chin. At last the father discovered what the trouble was. His son was in love! Papa Rosen concluded that the quicker his son got over it the better it would be for his music. Now many people labor under the impression that the quickest way to end a love affair is for the two victims to get married. That wasn't Papa Rosen's idea at all. That involved too many risks. The best thing would be for Max not to see the girl any more, and he told Max as much in so many words. Max listened politely, said nothing and went out later in the evening to keep his dinner engagement with Nanette.

The dinner, however, wasn't a great success. Nanette wore a troubled expression. Something was worrying her, and finally she told Max what it was. That afternoon her parents had forbidden her to see Max Rosen again! At first they were inclined to laugh off the situation, but somehow that didn't seem to bring it any nearer to a solution. They talked it over earnestly. Perhaps it was, after all, only an infatuation, as their parents insisted, and would pass away if given an opportunity. Both of them had to admit that the emotional stress under which they had been living had to some extent interfered with their work. At any rate, they were willing to test out their parents' ideas on the subject. They agreed not to see each other at all, and if the arrangement was found satisfactory to make it a permanent one. Feeling very earnest and noble because they were willing to sacrifice so much for their art, they parted, perhaps never to see each other again. The separation lasted just three weeks, and when their test was over each admitted that not only had art suffered in the meantime, but sanity had been threatened. This occurred about a year after their original meeting, which had taken place at a dinner party given at the Biltmore by Otto Kahn and Ralph Jonas, millionaire patrons of art.

From that time on they saw one another regularly, but still without the consent of their parents. By this time, however, Papa Rosen realized that his first solution for his son's love affair was not a great success. Apparently, the time-honored desperate cure of matrimony would have to be resorted to. Papa Rosen shook his head, shrugged his shoulders and said Max should do what he thought best. It was apparent that the father had acquired some of his son's weakness for the beautiful singer. But Nanette's parents still held out against matrimony. They still felt that Nanette should wait a few more years before attempting to combine marriage with music. They continued to withhold their consent, but it was a losing fight. In desperation they prevailed upon their daughter to accompany them to Europe last summer. They were away several months and by the eagerness with which she eyed the New York skyline when their ship pulled into port they could guess that the object of the trip had not been entirely achieved.

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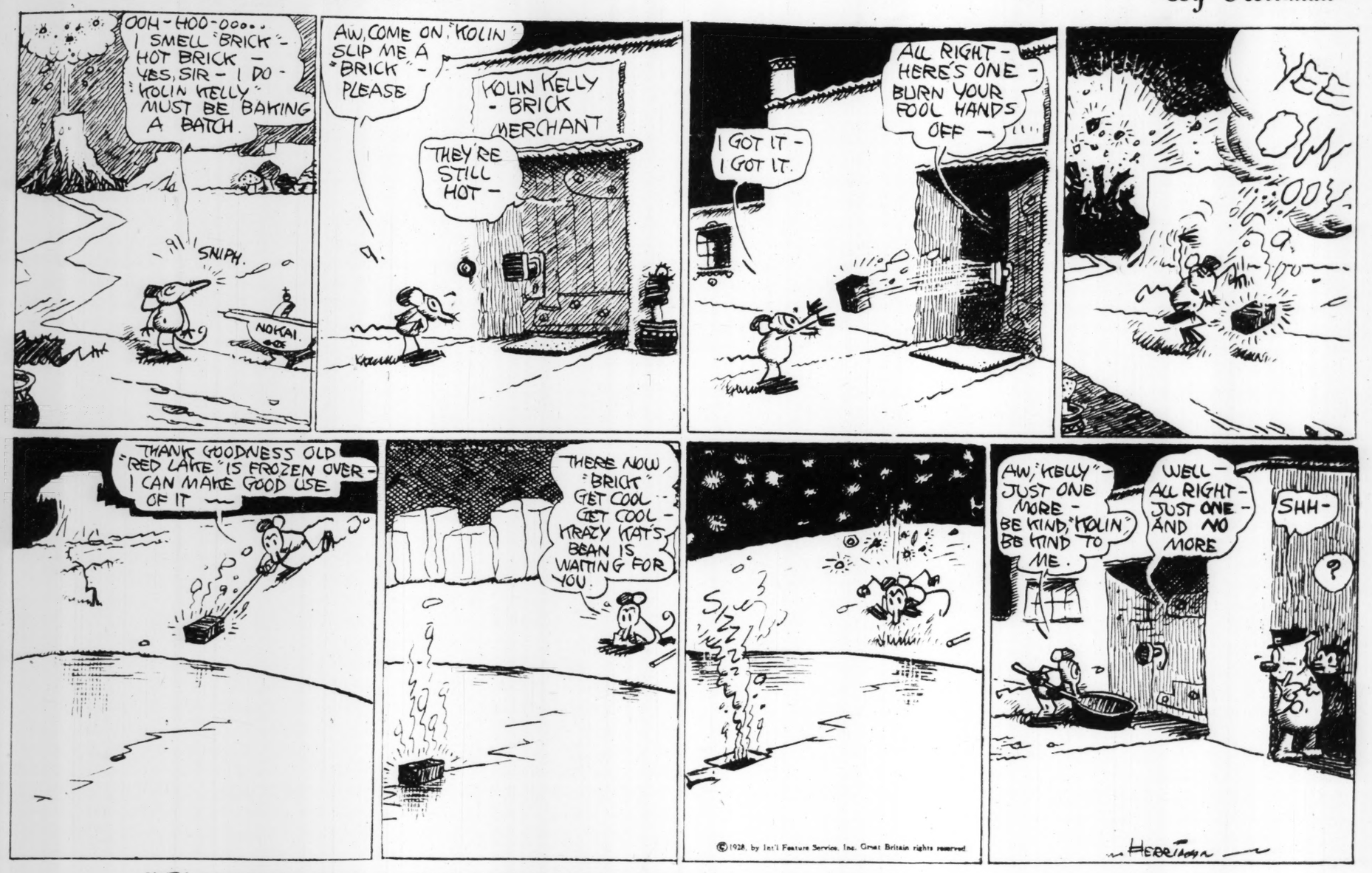
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MR. FEITLEBAUM—You here agan, ha?

ISIDORE—Baba—the man left a dote for you—here it is——

MR. FEITLEBAUM—Nuts? Wot's dees?

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BOOOOONG!!

MR. FEITLEBAUM—Halp—queeck de doctor! !

MILT GROSS.

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Don't Miss Seeing Europe if You Can

If Your Wife Has Made Up Her Mind for You, You Can't



Sam Hellman.

"NOPE," I tells 'em. "I got nothing against Europe; in fact one of my early ancestors came from there, and some of my best friends have accents, but if America was good enough for the Ojibway Indians"——

"If you think," cuts in the frau, "that I'm going to wait for your insurance money to take a trip abroad, your engine's missing. You've seen plenty of America and vice-versa—especially the vice-versa. We've been everywhere"——

"Not quite," I reminds her. "What of Mange, Idaho? What of Anthrax, Utah?"

"Why," inquires Minnie Mellish, "should anyone want to go to those places of all places?" Minnie's brains are noted for their ain'tness.

"Well," says I, "it may be true that there are no Alps to speak of in Anthrax, but I hear that the view of the sagebrush from the roof of Noah Winzel's henhouse may be surpassed but cannot be equaled anywhere—that is, if you like sagebrush."

"I wouldn't," sniffs the Mellish miasma, "if I knew what it was. Would I, Ira?"

"I don't know," scowls her husband. "I'll take it up tomorrow with my attorneys. Of course," he continues, "if Dan doesn't want to go to Europe"——

"When I traipse abroad," I interrupts, "it'll be with somebody who can talk those pauper-labor lingoes. What's the use of seeing Edna Eiffel's tower if you have to look at it in English? How," I demands, "are we going to get anything to eat? Suppose you want a glass of milk? How'd you ask for it?"

"Draw a picture of a cow," suggests Joe Davis, who's drifted into the room.

"I heard of a feller who tried that in Spain," I returns, "and they brought him a couple of tickets to a bullfight."

"Is that what he wanted?" asks Minnie.

"DID I ever tell you," horns in Davis, "what my grandfather did once in Upper Slovakia when he asked for milk and they wouldn't give it to him?"

"What?" I obliges.

"You couldn't feaze that old Indian fighter," replies Joe. "He just drank his coffee without it."

"You and Dan ought to do without it, too," glowers the misses, "and I don't mean milk."

"We'll have no trouble talking over there," promises Dame Mellish. "Ira's just wonderful when it comes to picking up languages. Aren't you, Ira?"

"I have indeed a pretty talent that way," admits Mellish. "Let me hear it a few times and there's no chatter I can't throw for a loss."

"I've read the ads about you," grunts Davis. "Everybody was surprised when you addressed the waiter in Swiss, but what was their astonishment when the waiter turned out to be a Punxatawney (Pennsylvania) society girl wanted in East Rahway for seining fish out of season."

"You'd better come along," suggests Ira, sarcastic. "Without your help we're likely to be found starved to death all over Europe and parts of Africa."

"Not even for the pleasure I'd get out of the spectacle," returns Joe. "While I believe that one American can lick eight languages, including English, Greek's the only one I've gone in for in a serious way. You should be around when I'm ordering stromberry pie and scawfee in Nick Papagoupolis' greasy spoon. You can hardly tell me apart from Homer, excepting that I hear he's dead, poor fellow."

"Why the 'except'?" inquires my Dora coldly. "We all need the broadening influence of travel"——

"Broadening, eh?" I sneers. "A fat bunch of broadening I'd get roosting around the rues while you and Minnie were dusting in and out of joy rags. For a month you've talked of nothing"——

"Oh, surely," interjects Joe, "it's been longer than that."



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——"but the frocks and frills," I finished, "that you expect to take me for in Paris. It looks to this registered voter that the trip's going to be just a ship to shop and shop to ship proposition."

"A sort of lingerie linger," adds Davis.

"Don't you expect to get anything out of the museums?" asks the lady called Min.

"Nope," says I. "They're watching those places too close since that bird lammed out of the Louvre with the Mona Lisa. You've heard of the famous statute of the Louvre in the Mona Lisa collection, haven't you?"

"As who has not," shrugs Madame Mellish. "I can hardly wait to get to Paris," she trills. "Think of the Champs Eliza, the Boys de Bologney, the Latin quarters"——

"Don't call 'em quarters when you get over there," cautions Joe. "Say either 'liras' or 'pesos' or 'piastres,' according to the rate of exchange if you don't want to be mistaken for an Armenian parachute jumper. Am I right, Dan, or am I right?"

"I should kiss a catamount," I comes back. "One mistake like that and the whole trip would be ruined for a sensitive organism like myself. That's the point I've been trying to make with Dora. Why lay ourselves open to embarrassment—why take Minnie to Europe until she has acquired—may I call it?—savoir faire?"

"You may indeed, my son," returns Davis, graciously. "The choice of expression does you credit. To go abroad without the well-known and prominent savoir faire would be like going on an overnight balloon trip without a balloon. You can see that for yourself, can't you, Minnie?"

"I'm not interested in balloons," says la Mellish. "Am I, Ira?"

"I DON'T know," barks her meal ticket. "I'll take it up with the pastor next Sunday."

"I know a steam-fitter in Ohio," remarks Joe. "Why don't you take it up with him?"

"Let them talk," says the frau, giving me and Davis the ashy eye. "We sail on the fifth—the four of us—and no amount of silly clowning"——

"Can't you take your chef's tour without me?" I cuts in. "I'd only crab the party."

"No doubt," agrees the misses, coldly, "but I wouldn't trust you out of my sight any further than I could see an imaginary gnat with the naked eye."

As a matter of fact, I'm keen to go to Europe, but not with the Mellishes. Personally, I'd just as soon travel with an earache and a set of tight shoes as with that pair of punks, but even as I argues I can see myself playing deck games with Minnie. The wife's made up my mind to trot along and when Dora makes up my mind it's like a hundred-dollar bill on a street car. It can't be changed.

"So that's France," remarks Minnie, a few weeks later while we're waiting outside of Cherbourg for the tender. "It doesn't look so thrilling."

"It never does on Thursday afternoon," I returns. "You should see it some Tuesday morning just after the sun's gone down in Picardy. What did you expect to find? French peasants on the dock singing the Mayonnaise?"

"On the map," comes back brainless, "France looks like a big red teapot. I don't get any such idea of the country from here, do I, Ira?"

"I don't know," growls her husband. "I'll take it up tomorrow with the American Consul."

"I'll give you a letter to him," I offers, generously. "I'm a great friend of a lad who's not acquainted with him."

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(Now that we have our party in Europe the fun should be fast and furious, but will it? That, of course, remains to be seen, but critics who have not read the further adventures of our gay little group are unanimous in their indorsement of stewed tripe as a perfect diet in acute cases of flat feet.)

SAM HELLMAN.

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KENNEDY'S PAL

— BY —
RAYMOND LESLIE GOLDMAN



"Great!" shouted Windy. "Here's to the niftiest little dame that ever punched a Gimbel time-clock!"

GUS MINTON, known in pugilistic circles as Windy, controlled the fistic destinies of seven fighters. None of them was a champion, but all of them were skillful enough to find places in semi-finals and special events, and two of them were generally recognized as legitimate championship contenders. Unfortunately, both Frank Kennedy and Joey Flint were natural lightweights, for if either had been in another division, Windy knew that he would have two champions under his wing.

As it was, he was in a quandary.

"Here I got a chance to sign up with the champion," he stormed that morning in his office, "and I don't know which boy I should let take a crack at that title. If I put Kennedy in and he don't come through, I'll wish I'd picked Flint, and if"——

"In my opinion," put in Wilson, trainer-in-chief of the Minton stable, "either boy can lick Gordon. Gordon's hit the down trail and you know it. He ain't one-two-three with what he used to be. Too much Broadway; too much second-from-the-left; not enough real scrapping. Either boy can take him now, easy; and even if he was at his best I think that Flint could put him in his pocket."

"Flint?" said Windy. "And how about Kennedy? Ain't he as good as Flint?"

Wilson shrugged. "I ain't never made up my mind about that. I kinda like Flint best. I think he's brainier; I think he's got more speed, and I don't wonder much that he can hit harder with either hand. But Kennedy's got more confidence. He thinks he's better than Gans and Nelson put together. Flint ain't near so sure of himself."

"Kennedy's got conceit," agreed Windy, nodding. "He's so stuck on himself that he's got the other guy down on the canvas, in his mind's eye, before he crawls through the ropes. That's what I like about him. That's championship stuff. Flint's always kinda modest—willing, but modest, if you get what I mean."

"Yet," Wilson reminded him, "Flint has licked every boy that Kennedy has."

"Yes, after Kennedy has licked them first."

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WINDY threw his arms into the air. "My God! What can I do about it? I got to always give Kennedy first crack. I get both boys in front of me and I tells 'em I got a great chance for one of them. 'Give him to Frank,' says Flint. 'He can put him away easy. I'll take him on some other time.' That's the way it always is: 'Give him to Frank,' says Flint."

"Well, there ain't no second crack at this," replied Wilson. "It's Flint or Kennedy for the title. And if I was to choose I'd pick Joey Flint. He'll make a better champ than Kennedy, because the fans like him better. There's something uppish about Kennedy that peeves the gallery boys. I'd pick Flint."

"Flint it is!" cried Windy, slapping his thigh. "And, boy, we'll cop a half-million bucks!"

Flint and Kennedy reported at the gymnasium at 2 o'clock. They came in together, disrobed and got into their gym togs together, and together began their daily workout. Alike as they were physically, both sleek and fine-drawn, within a pound or two of fighting weight, pliant muscles rippling beneath clear skin, deep-chested and slim-waisted, they differed greatly in type and coloring. Frank Kennedy was dark of hair and pigmentation, his eyes black, flashing and close-set. But Joey Flint was blond and fair of skin, with mottled flushes on his cheeks, and his blue eyes, set wide apart, seemed too mild to belong to a fighter.

Chug Wilson appeared in the doorway and shouted: "Hey, Joey! C'mere a minute! Windy wants to see you!"

Joey made for the manager's office, throwing a sweater over his shoulders; and Frank, too, left his bag as suddenly as if he had been the one who was summoned, quick puzzlement knotting his brow and shadowing his eyes.

"I wanted Joey," said Windy, for Frank had edged through the doorway first. "Oh, say, Joey, I got some news for you."

"Spring it!" said Joey.

"Set yourself for a haymaker. I'm gonna sign you up with Gordon for Labor Day!"

A moment of silence greeted this information. Joey's chin lifted, his chest rose, a deep flush spread over his face, breaking in jagged lines just above his shoulders; and his blue eyes shone with happiness and pride. But before he could speak Frank stepped forward and leaned across Windy's littered desk.

"The hell you are!" he cried hotly, his eyes flashing with wrath. "How d'you get that way, Windy?"

"What d'you mean, how do I get that way?" retorted the manager, leaning forward, too, and looking up into Kennedy's contorted face. "You heard what I said, Kennedy! I'm signing Joey up for Labor Day with Gordon, 15 rounds to a decision, with the title at stake. Now, what of it?"

FRANK'S knuckles whitened on the desk. "And where do I come in? Huh? Why do you hand me a dirty deal?" He hit his chest with a rigid finger. "I'm in line for that title. I'm first in line, not Joey Flint. You can't get away with that stuff with me!"

"Ain't that a pity now!" said Windy, leaning back in his chair, resorting to his old weapon of stabbing sarcasm. "Now ain't that a shame? I'm the manager, but I ain't got nothing to say about what fighters of mine I sign up, or who with!"

"Well, you can't pull a stunt like this!" shouted Frank, beside himself. "What's fair is fair, and what's rotten is rotten. I've licked every man who's had a bid for that title. I"——

"So's Joey," Wilson reminded.

Frank turned upon the trainer. "Yeh! After I give 'em such a pastin' that the fight's gone out of 'em! I'm the one who smacked 'em out of their claims, and don't you forget it. Look here, Windy! I ain't gonna let you get away with this! I'm the best man, and you know it, and I'm the real champion. If you got any doubts about it, sign me up with Joey and I'll prove it!" He spun around to face Joey, his eyes narrowed, and his face hard. "If you're half a man you'll fight me first."

Joey stood back against the wall near the doorway, his head dropped to his chest and his eyes fixed on his shoes. The flush had fled his cheeks, leaving them pale and drawn. His whole attitude bespoke tragic dejection. At Kennedy's last words, addressed to him, he roused himself somewhat and stepped forward to Kennedy's side.

"CALM down, Frank," he said, quietly. "Don't talk like a damn fool. You and me can't fight. We've been pals too long. My God, ain't we been pals for 10 years, ever since we been kids? Whatcha talkin' about, anyway? How could you and me get in a ring and really fight!"

"Hell!" snapped Kennedy, shaking off the hand that Joey placed on his arm. "This is business! What's business and pals got to do with each other? Pals is one thing and the lightweight title is another. If I let you and Windy pull this off on me, I'd have to be crazy. If you think you're a better man than I am, get in the ring with me and prove it!"

Joey shook his head slowly. "That's impossible, Frank. I wouldn't fight you for 10 titles, and that goes." He turned to Windy. "What's the idea, Windy, of shoving me in ahead of Frank? He's right about it, in a way. He's got as much right to get a crack at that title as I got—and maybe more. He can take Gordon without half trying."

"And you mean you ain't so sure you can take him yourself?" asked Windy, his lips curling a trifle.

"I ain't sayin' yes or no to that," Joey replied, flushing. "If I got in there with Gordon, I'd do my best. But"——

Windy interrupted him. "If that's the way you feel about it, then we'll put Frank in. I don't want no ifs, ands and butters with a title at stake! But don't ever say, Joey Flint, that I never gave you your chance!"

"That's fair enough," replied Joey, in a low voice. "You sign up Frank, and after Labor Day we'll have a champ in this here camp. Ain't that the truth, Frank?"

Kennedy's wrath had fallen from him as the sweater now fell from his shoulders when he reached up to put his arm around Joey. He was smiling broadly and his dark eyes glowed.

"You said a mouthful, Joey, ol' scout!" he cried. "If that cheese champ, Gordon, stays the full route I'll give you my end of the purse. I'll get to him within 10 rounds. You watch! And, believe me, I want you in my corner."

"You hear that, Windy? He says I'm to be in his corner for that fight! Now don't forget it."

The general spirit of elation was too much for Windy's ill-humor. He forgot in a moment his anger with Kennedy, his disgust with Flint.

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"Aw, rats!" cried Kennedy, leaping for the doorway to the gym. "I'm ready now!"

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After the battle the new champion held court in his dressing room behind the arena—a swaggering monarch, giddy with victory, with a mouse under each eye and a puffed nether lip. Windy Minton, upholding his reputation, stood in the doorway and recited columns of material to the crowding newspaper men, who finally jotted down, "Kennedy to be a real fighting champion," and went away. Windy, having lost his audience, sighed and stepped back into the dressing room, closing the door against further intrusion.

"Well," he said with satisfaction, "I give 'em an earful."

Kennedy, nattily attired in a gray suit, with a purple handkerchief fluttering from his breast pocket, leaned back against the rubbing table, looking down, as it were, from a lofty pinnacle. His glance swept by Chug Wilson, who was trying hard to be entirely satisfied with the course of events; and Joey Flint, who was trying hard not to think of anything but the splendor of his friend's victory. But when it came to Ethel Rowen, it rested, meeting her gray eyes meaningfully. Windy nudged his company with a plump elbow, winked broadly at the girl, and declared:

"Guess we ought to let you two alone for a while. Come on, Chug—Joey—we're excess baggage in here now."

Ethel colored prettily and tried to hide her embarrassment by adjusting her small felt hat and tucking under a few wisps of her golden, bobbed hair. Kennedy, at magnificent ease, smiled to her.

"Can I tell 'em now, Ethel?" he asked.

"If you want to," she replied, lifting her chin pertly. "I don't care."

No one was looking at Joey Flint, so no one saw the color drain from his cheeks and the film of anguish that fell suddenly across his eyes. And only he could be aware of the cold fingers that gripped his heart, of the painful tightening of his throat.

"Well, boys," Kennedy announced, reaching out for Ethel's white, slim arm and pulling her towards him, "me and Ethel are going to get married day after tomorrow."

"Great!" shouted Windy. "Here's to the niftiest little dame that ever punched a Gimbel time-clock!" And he gulped down an imaginary draught.

"Congratulations," offered Wilson. "You're a lucky boy, Frank."

"You bet I am," Kennedy replied, his arm tightening about her waist. "In fact, we're both lucky!"

JOEY knew that he must say something. In a moment, if he stood back there so silently, the others would look at him questioningly. And they must never, never know. He squared his shoulders, swallowed hard and stepped forward, an icy hand outstretched.

"This—this is sure one big surprise," he managed to say. "Gosh! It—it's great! Best news I ever heard, Frank, ol' boy. And Ethel—gee, you—you know how I'm pulling for your—happiness."

She looked up at him, but he deftly avoided meeting her eyes. She must have known all along, even though he had kept silent during those two years. At that moment she must have felt for him that sort of pity that every woman feels for the unloved lover.

"Thanks, Joey," she said, ignoring his proffered hand, but placing her hand on his arm. "You've always been a square friend. And me and Frank owe it all to you, too—in a way. Wasn't you the one who introduced us to each other last month?"

Kennedy, grinning, slapped Joey's shoulder heavily. "Boy, I'm a fast worker. Gimme credit."

"I give you credit," said Joey, trying to grin in response. "Well—I'm gonna run along. See you later, everybody."

He went out into the gathering dusk of the September evening. Small groups of stragglers were still standing outside the stadium wildly discussing the fight. Newsboys, with colored papers under their arms, were shouting: "Kennedy wins! Read about the big champeen fight round for round!"

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The Venus of Milo with arms restored.

In the archives of the great French museum here there is plenty of testimony to show how this graceful figure originally held her arms. For example, Lieutenant Matterer, a French naval officer who was at Milo when it was found, and who saw the statue a number of times, wrote in his diary:

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"What you need," continued Joey, "is a good fight under your belt. It's the only thing that's going to make you realize that you ain't in condition. Frank, so help me, if—if you won't agree to fight some fellow like, say, George Wright, or Mike Loomis—if you won't, I—I'll have to lick you myself!"

He stopped, aghast at his own words. Before he had realized what was in his mind, what had been in his mind for a week, he had given it utterance. He watched Frank's face, the narrowed eyes, the hard mouth with its curling lips, the lowering brow. He knew that it was too late now to turn back. He didn't want to turn back.

"So!" said Kennedy. "You'll lick me yourself, will you? Why, by God, I'd like to see you try it! I've always wanted to have it out with you, Joey Flint. You got the idea in your thick noodle that you can lick me. You always had that idea. You tried to hide it, like the dam hypocrite that you are; but I knew it and felt it all along. You couldn't suit me better than to give me the chance to knock it out of your head. The sooner the better, old boy! And there ain't no time like right now. We got this gym to ourselves, and no one ain't likely to come in for a half-hour or more. There's fighting gloves in the locker. Get 'em, if you ain't gettin' cold feet, and try to lick me!"

Struggling for calmness, Joey turned away without a word and walked back to the lockers. In his heart was a sensation of horror that he tried valiantly to dispel. When he took the five-ounce gloves from the locker his hands trembled so violently that the gloves dropped to the floor.

"I gotta get cool," he told himself. "I got to pertend it ain't Frank, but somebody else. I got to make a real fight of it and do my best and—hit hard. My God—Frank! But I gotta hit him! If I don't lick him, Tony Drake will. It's the only way to—save him."

He brought the gloves to the gymnasium, where Kennedy was waiting inside the ropes of the ring. Their hands were already bandaged, and the gloves, stringless and with elastic at the wrists, they managed to slip on with the aid of their teeth. From opposite corners they faced each other, Kennedy eager and sneering, Joey white-faced and grim.

"THERE ain't no timekeeper or referee," said Kennedy, "so we'll just have to fight it out to a finish. If you want to rough and tumble, I'm willing. If you want rules, I'm willing, too."

"I want rules," said Joey huskily. "We'll break clean in the clinches. As soon as we're tied up, that's a clinch, and we break. No rounds and no rests. I'm ready if you are."

With his characteristic leap, Kennedy darted from his corner and crossed three-quarters of the ring to meet Joey coming out. Joey took two lefts to the face and fell back against the ropes, covering up. The pain of the blows was slight, but a greater pain reached his heart.

"He's putting all he's got into the blows," he thought, as if he could not quite believe it. "Dear God, if I can only bring myself to hit him hard! I gotta, or he'll lick me."

He fell into a clinch, wrestled to the center of the ring and broke away. He danced away and, as Kennedy rushed in, brought up a right uppercut that landed flush on Kennedy's mouth. Kennedy clinched, and when they broke Joey saw a trickle of blood on Frank's lips. There! It was done. He had hit, and hit hard. For the first time in 10 years he had hit—really hit—his friend.

"For his own sake," he said, over and over in his mind. "For his own sake."

The thought gave him heart and power. Kennedy fought with a greater fury than Joey had ever seen him display, and that fury increased with each blow that Joey landed and each blow that Joey made him miss. At the end of six minutes of continuous fighting Kennedy's ill-spent nights began to tell on him. Joey saw that he was weakening, that his breath was labored and his arms and legs weary. Blood flowed from a cut over his eye, from the gashed lips. And Joey's heart was bleeding, too, matching drop for drop the blood that flowed from Kennedy's wounds.

"For his own sake," he urged himself. "For his own sake."

But he danced away, clear back to the ropes and cried out:

"Want to stop and rest a minute? You can wipe away that blood."

"Rest!" Kennedy panted. "You'll get no rest, damn you!" And blindly he rushed into an avalanche of blows.

"I've got him now," thought Joey. "He's—he's done for. No power now in his blows, and he's wide open. Frank, old pal, it's for you I'm doing this. It's for you, Frank."

With the strength that he was holding in reserve, he fought Kennedy before him around the ring. Kennedy, with one arm through the ropes to sustain him, and the other hanging uselessly, battered and spent and drunk with punches, had left to him only his fury and his fighting heart. Joey, sick with anguish, backed away.

"I—I've got you licked, Frank," he said brokenly. "A referee would stop this."

"Like—hell—you—you got me licked!" spoke Kennedy's fighting heart.

Joey held back, his suffering far greater than his friend's.

"You're licked, Frank," he pleaded. "Admit it, so—so I can stop."

"Like—hell—you got me—licked!" said Kennedy, and swung a feeble arm.

Calling upon every ounce of his resolve, Joey stepped in to deliver the final blow he had hoped to spare himself. It landed squarely on the point of Kennedy's jaw. Then he stepped back again.

Kennedy lay on his face on the floor of the ring. And to the floor beside him, on his knees, dropped Joey, breaking the strain of his taut nerves by a flood of hot, incongruous tears.

"Frank," he sobbed, "you—you made me do it. You—you had to know—that you was licked!"

He tore off his blood-soaked gloves and raised Kennedy's unconscious form to a sitting posture, holding him in his arms. He chafed Kennedy's wrists and shook him roughly by the chin. Kennedy, champion lightweight of the world, slowly opened his eyes.

"YOU made me do it," Joey was sobbing. "You—you made me."

Kennedy's vision cleared. He leaned back weakly against Joey's breast. He raised a heavy arm to touch Joey's face with the tip of his glove.

"Joey," he said, "cut out the—the sob stuff, old pal. I—I know why you done it. I—I guess I wasn't in as good condition as I thought. It—it was the—the white lights licked me, wasn't it, Joey?"

"Sure it was!" said Joey. "It was the white lights. No man of your weight in the world can lick you when you're good."

For a space they were silent, arms about each other. Then Kennedy spoke:

"You—you won't tell Ethel, will you?"

"No, Frank."

"Or—anybody?"

"Nobody. We'll hurry up and clear out of here before anybody comes in. I'll telephone Ethel myself that you have to spend the night with me. She'll believe it, if I tell her. And by tomorrow those little cuts will be all closed up. They don't amount to much. They could 'a' happened in just a sparring bout. This ain't nobody's business, Frank."

"Because, after all," said Frank Kennedy, "I'm still the lightweight champion of the world!"

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Grand Opera Baby and Her Musical Romance

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among the most colorful personalities in New York musical circles and they have in common the distinction of having been something in the nature of child prodigies who are completely fulfilling the promise of their earlier days.

Miss Guilford, the daughter of a wealthy New York manufacturer, took her first music lesson when she was 14 years old. She grew up with the ambition of becoming an opera singer. When she was just turning 17 she confided her ambition to a singer of her acquaintance, who told her that she would have to be an old woman before the opera would consider her. Greatly disappointed that she would apparently have to wait years before getting into the Metropolitan, she determined to get on the stage in the meantime. Her uncle is Louis Webber, a Broadway theatrical producer, and through him she made certain contacts and that led to her getting a leading role in a musical comedy on the Century Roof. She broke the news to her parents on the night of her first appearance.

SHE was a tremendous success and her voice was immediately recognized as of operatic quality. She stayed on the stage three weeks and then gave that up to devote herself to uninterrupted preparation for an audition at the Metropolitan. She studied for a year and a half under the celebrated vocal coach, Albert Jeannotte. The Metropolitan accepted her and she made her debut in a minor role in "Rigoletto" in 1923. She was then the youngest member of the company and was widely referred to as "the baby of the opera." Her development was steady, and in less than two years she was given star parts. She has achieved notable successes in "Boheme," "Turandot," "La Cenna della Beffe," the opera based on "The Jest," and in numerous concert appearances.

Max Rosen's rise has been even more sensational than that of his wife. He was brought to this country when a year old by his father, who had been a musician in the Rumanian army. The father and son endured many years of hardship on New York's East Side, but no matter how difficult Bernard Rosen found it to make a living in a strange country, he always found time to give his son music lessons and money enough to buy the boy a fiddle. By the time Max was 8 years old he was the possessor of an astonishing technical equipment. One of his father's friends heard him play and arranged for him to study at the David Mannes Music Settlement. He studied for three years, progressing steadily. At the school he studied technical exercises, but he taught himself many intricate and difficult compositions by listening to Mischa Elman's records played on a phonograph in a second-hand furniture store near his home. He was then brought to the notice of Miss Rachel Lubarski, an East Side social worker, and she in turn arranged for the 11-year-old artist to play before the late Edward de Coppet, godfather of the Flonzaley Quartet. It was immediately decided that such a talent was worthy of the teaching of the great Professor Auer, and when Efrem Zimbalist, Maude Powell, Kathleen Parlow and other noted musicians voiced the same opinion, arrangements were made for Max and his father to go abroad.

Max himself contributed toward raising the necessary funds by giving his first recital at Cooper Union in the spring of 1912. The following May Max and his father appeared at Loeschwitz, near Dresden, Germany, where the celebrated Professor Auer held a master class during the summer months. The night before young Max was to appear before the professor for his first audition he suddenly became overwhelmed at the thought of possible failure. He immediately took his violin and began to practice furiously the composition he was to play. He played for hours, refusing even to listen to the remonstrance of his father. He played beyond the hour of the curfew, and his landlady was afraid the police would be knocking at her door any minute, but the music was so lovely she could not bring herself to stop it. At last what she had dreaded came to pass. There was a sharp knock at the door. But when she opened it she was relieved to find that it was not an officer but a kindly old man with white hair, who had merely knocked to ask who was playing the violin.

"OH, IT is a mere child," she exclaimed. "A little American boy who has come here to study under the great professor. Tomorrow he takes his first lesson, and he is afraid it may not be right."

The old gentleman smiled.

"Tell him to go to bed and get a good night's sleep. He does not need to worry. He has kept me standing in the road there listening for an hour. I am the professor."

Rosen studied under Auer, forming one of a group that included Heifetz and Toscha Seidel. He studied abroad for a number of years, made a triumphant tour of Europe, which included a special appearance before the King and Queen of Norway, and finally returned to the United States in 1918. His first appearance as soloist with the Philharmonic Symphony definitely established him in the top flight of violin virtuosi and he has remained there ever since.

Scientific Dispute Over a Tennessee Baby

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had heard of the case and had printed accounts of it. While no names were used in these stories, the size of the town made it almost inevitable that the neighbors and others should know that her baby had a tail. She flared up at her husband.

"This is my baby," she said, tears streaming down her face. "And if anybody takes her away from me to be exhibited as a freak it will be over my dead body."

The father protested that he could see no reason for hurry about the operation.

"You just want to be stubborn," she told him. "The doctors have said they would wait for their money and that we could pay when we got it.

"You want to have people running here to see the freak baby. A woman came here yesterday and asked my name and then asked if I was the mother of the tailed baby. She said she wanted to see it. I slammed the door in her face."

In the face of further passionate protestations the father remained unmoved. Finally the mother dressed the child and fled to her mother's in defense. Here she found consolation.

The grandmother of the baby is only 31 years old. She seems to be a very capable, intelligent person. She was in complete agreement with her daughter that the only thing to do was to have the operation at the earliest opportunity. This woman had two children by her first husband before she was 17 year old. The first—the baby's mother—when she was 14. She married a second time when she was 20 and has two children by her second husband. To eke out the family income, she sells insurance in a fraternal order. The grandmother says that to her knowledge no similar malformation has ever appeared in the families of either the father or mother of the baby before.

UNDER the laws of Tennessee it is necessary to have the father's written consent to any operation on minor children. The doctors whom the mother and grandmother consulted pointed out this necessity. It so happened that at this time the child was suffering from a minor skin abrasion and a slight loss of blood. The doctor used this as a means of securing the written permission, warning the father that the child might suffer serious consequences if the operation was not immediately performed.

Both mother and child returned to the hospital. During the four days that it was recovering from the operation the mother scarcely left the bedside. She loves the child with an intensity that may have been increased by the fact that it was born with a deformity.

"As I told mother," she says, "I wouldn't have given two cents for this baby before she came. But now I wouldn't take a million dollars for her."

The mother is 17, the father is 22. They have been married for nearly a year and a half. When the time came to leave the hospital, after the operation had been successfully performed, she was still undecided as to whether or not she should return to her husband. There was really, however, no place else for her to go. Her mother's small house was already overcrowded. At last she became reconciled after a fashion with him. He explained that it had all come about because of the doctor's joke.

They took two rooms over a drug store in a little town a few miles from Knoxville. Money is scarcer than it ever was, for it took $19.50 for hospital expenses for the operation, to say nothing of the doctor's bills that hang over their heads and the expenses which were connected with the birth. But the mother says she is happy.

"Of course, we won't be able to have very much Christmas celebration this year," she explains. "But I figure that I've got just the best Christmas present of all in this baby."

Science has come to their aid in more ways than one in this whole business. The word "tail" became, naturally, anathema to the mother and grandmother. They grew furiously angry at seeing headlines in the local papers about the "Tailed Baby." But now they're not bothered any more by that. The surgeon who operated showed them a way out.

"It isn't a tail," the grandmother says. "It's an appendage, you know. That's what the doctors call it—an appendage."

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New Craze Is for Silks Designed by Artists

Modernistic Creations by French Artists Embrace Parachute Motif, Jewelry Motif, Palm Tree Motif, and Even Give the Dogs a Chance.

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine

NEW YORK

"IMPRESSIONS DECORATIVES" is the name of the latest enterprise in the art and fashion world to reach this country.

This name symbolizes the interesting union which has taken place between contemporary French modern artists and the leading coutouriers of Paris.

A group of great French moderns, all well-known to the American public for their "regular" or fine arts work, has turned to the decorative arts.

They have produced a collection of designs for silk dress prints which may foredast an unusual development in the art of dress, if the movement continues the pace it is now exhibiting.

Who knows but that the Rodins of the future will be as well known for their costume designs as their sculpture!

The artists are Boutet de Monvel, Benito, Pierre Mourgue, Georges Lapape, Pierre Brissaud, A. E. Marty, Zyg Brunner and Guy Arnoux.

Working under the group name of "Impressions Decoratives," they have created a number of brilliant designs for silk prints which show a flair altogether unusual in the styling of fabrics.



Pierre Mourgue's parachute design when made into an ensemble.

For each one of these designs a well-known dressmaker of Paris has created a model which expresses the style peculiar to the artists. The couturiers are Renee, Jane Regny, Suzanne Talbot, Augusta Bernard, Gerald, Jenny and Molyneaux.

The dress designs were first exhibited in New York before a notable gathering at the Wildenstein Galleries, under the auspices of the French Hospital.

On that occasion, the leaders of the Franco-American fashionable and are worlds viewed these new works of the artists in conjunction with their more formal productions.

The showing was given graphic meaning by the display of the same prints made up into smart models by the above-mentioned coutouriers and exhibited on manequins.

The exhibition at the Wildenstein Galleries would seem to symbolize the definite union of the fine and decorative arts and their application to the world of fashion.

Boutet de Monvel has made a print based on a brilliant motif of palms which is worked into an afternoon frock by Renee. The design shows all his exquisite draftsmanship and is in effect a precise and beautiful floral.

Zyg Brunner is represented by an amusing print called "Lots of Dog," which is represenative of all the hounds of the Bois de Boulogne, of which Augusta Bernard has made a charming street frock with pleated skirt and surpliced waist.

"Pine Cones" is the motif which inspired Benito and is converted into an afternoon dress by Jane Regny. The print gives one of the popular pen and ink effects in tones of beige and red.

"Stars" is a brilliant and unconventional inspiration in which one may find all the heavenly bodies delineated by Guy Arnoux. The gown was made for Mr. Arnoux by Molyneux.

Pierre Brissaud, inspired by modern novelty jewelry, has originated a print which he calls "Bijoux," and Jenny interpreted it in an afternoon frock with scarf appropriately pendant from the shoulder.

Pierre Mourgue finds inspiration for a daring modern design in a print of descending parachutes, the cone and hemisphere effects making a sound and attractive dress pattern. Suzanne Talbot has incorporated it in an ensemble for afternoon wear.

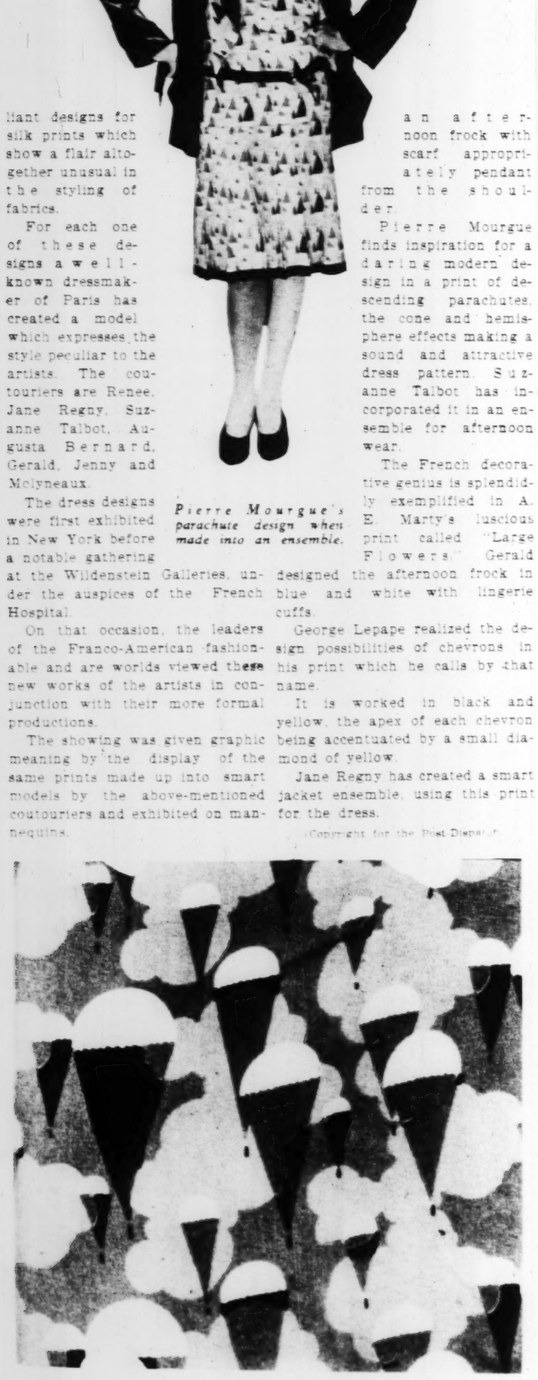
The French decorative genius is splendidly exemplified in A. E. Marty's luscious print called "Large Flowers." Gerald designed the afternoon frock in blue and white with lingerie cuffs.

George Lepape realized the design possibilities of chevrons in his print which he calls by that name.

It is worked in black and yellow, the apex of each chevron being accentuated by a small diamond of yellow.

Jane Regny has created a smart jacket ensemble, using this print for the dress.

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A close-up of the parachute design.



Zyg Brunner's print proving every dog has his day.



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A close-up of the "Lots of Dog" design.

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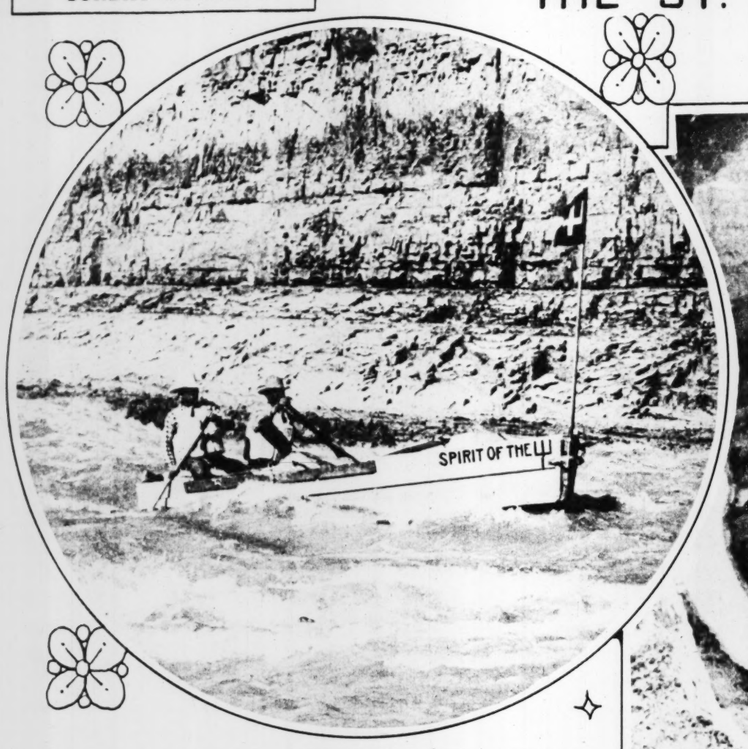
AN ART WHICH HAS ALL BUT PASSED INTO OBLIVION

ALMOST all that the eyes see in the photograph reproduced above is made of mahogany wood, carved by hand. It is the altar and interior of the church of Ocotlan, in the suburbs of Tlaxcala, Mexico, an unimportant city in the state of that name, now with a population of less than 3000. Here is the holy well of Ocotlan, and here, centuries ago, Cortez raised the native army which, aiding his Spaniards, captured the City of Mexico.

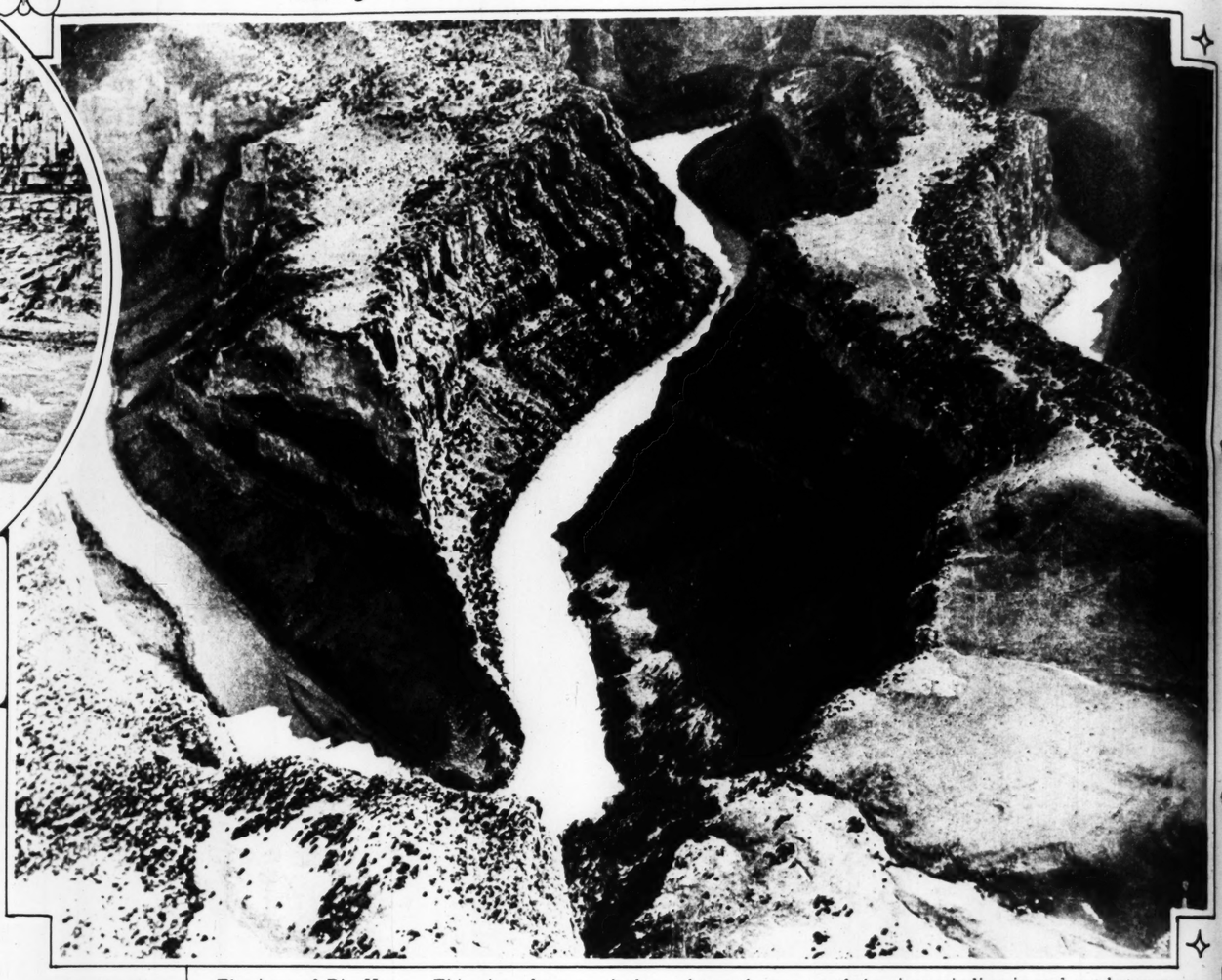
One can only conjecture how many hands, and how many years, were required for the carving out of native wood all the many figures in Biblical history, the ornate columns and scroll work, the panels and the church symbols. And practically all that one sees is covered with pure gold leaf, presenting a bewildering and glittering confusion of ecclesiastic art and symbolism. It is doubtful if any architect or builder would undertake today to duplicate this church interior.

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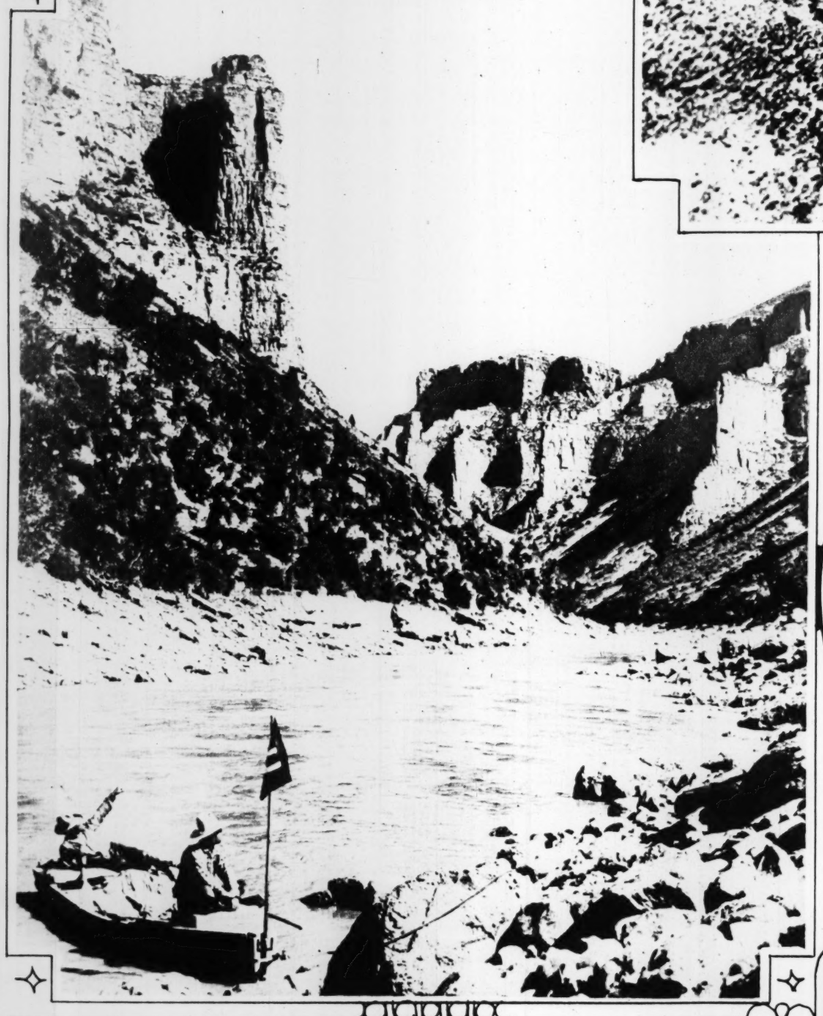
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A rushing torrent between high walls of solid rock. Charles J. Belden speeding down Big Horn Canyon, in Northern Wyoming. —Copyright.



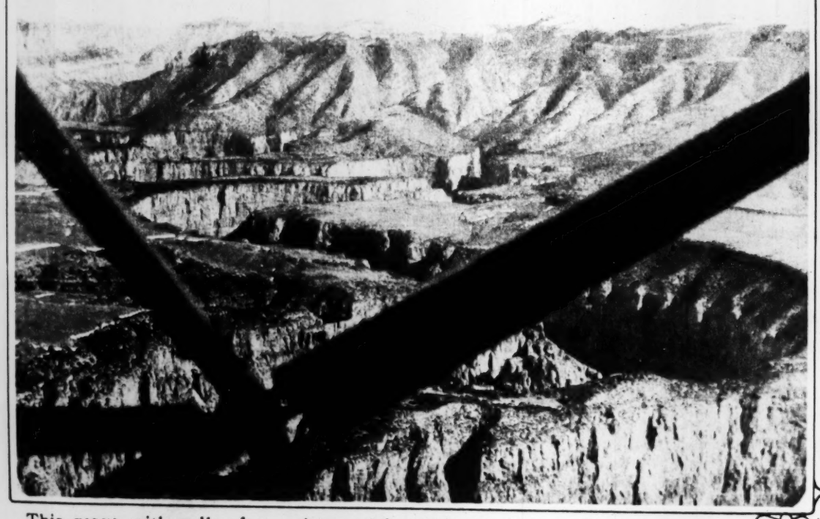
The jaws of Big Horn. This view, from an airplane, shows the course of the river winding in and out between castellate buttes and jagged pinnacles of limestone vividly colored in every hue of red, yellow, orange, and sometimes green. —Copyright.



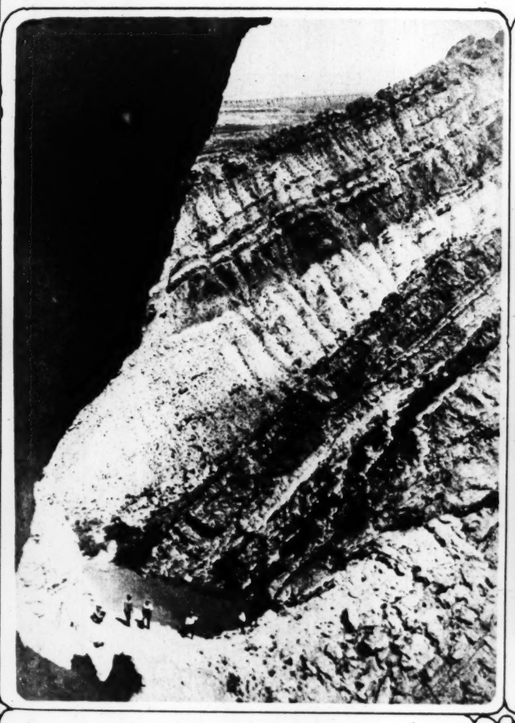
The lower end of the canyon. —Copyright.



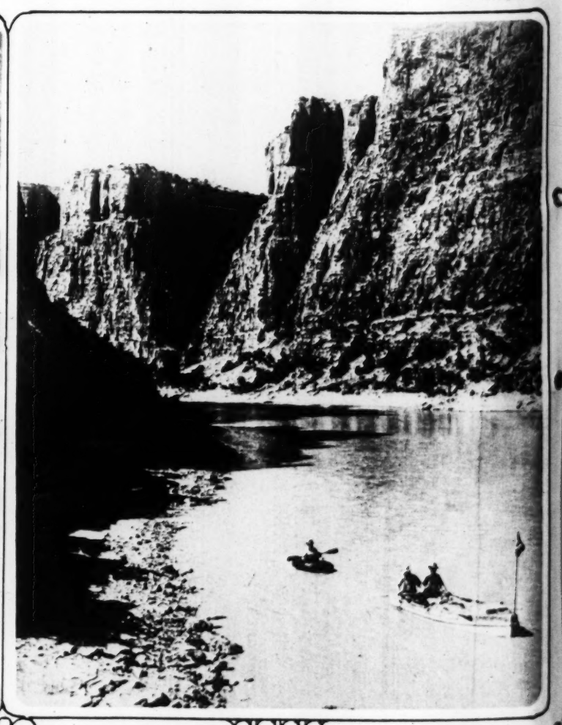
Charles J. Belden making a camera shot. The boat is named "Spirit of the Pitchfork," after Mr. Belden's Wyoming ranch. —Copyright.



This gorge, with walls often a thousand feet high, winds through an almost level plateau. The tops of the gorge, as seen from an airplane. —Copyright.



At the mouth of Sheep Cave, which extends into the canyon wall for nearly half a mile. This entrance is 800 feet above the river. —Copyright.



Before hitting the rapids. A scene in Big Horn Canyon. —Copyright.

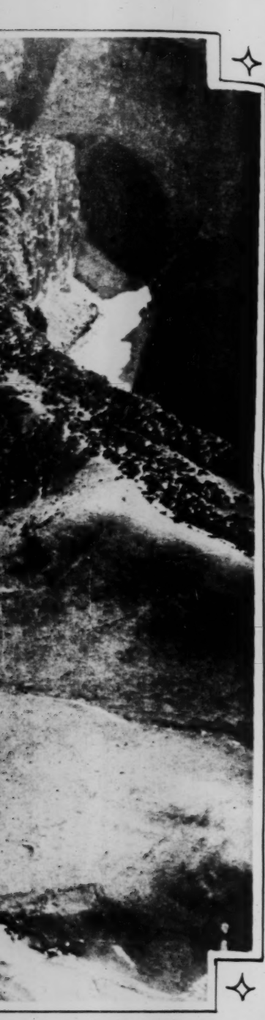


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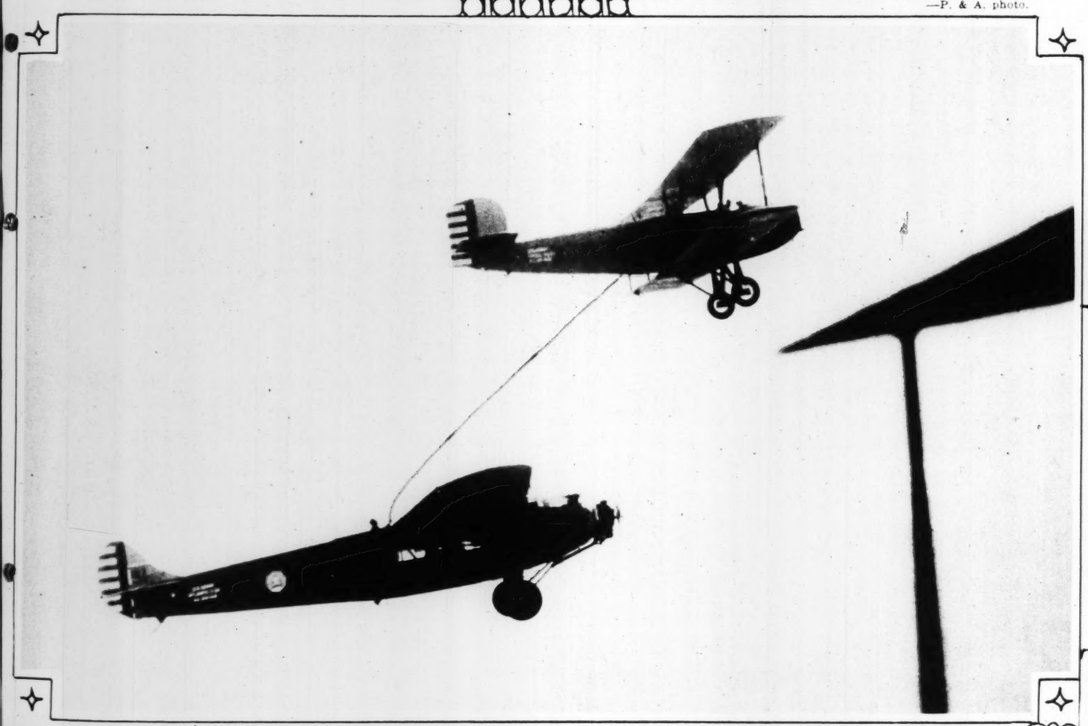


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RIVALING THE FASHIONS OF THE LIDO AND THE RIVIERA—On the Florida beaches, this season, are to be observed a great variety of novel costumes, and fully as bizarre as those to be seen at European winter resorts. Pleated trousers, tucked-in blouses, coolie coats and pajama ensembles are much in evidence. Vivid colors prevail, both for beach outfits and bathing suits.

—International photo.



REFUELING AN AIRPLANE IN FLIGHT—This photograph shows a transport plane at Bolling Field, Washington, transferring 50 gallons of gasoline to another plane flying below it by means of a long, flexible hose connecting the two. The planes were 35 feet apart.

—Associated Press photo.



SOLDIERS IN BLUE AGAIN—Full dress uniform authorized by the War Department for optional wear. The blue cloth is similar to that of pre-war days.

—International photo.



RECOVERING PLANE IN WHICH 12 PERSONS DIED—Wreck of the air liner "Santos Dumont" being hauled out of the bay at Rio Janeiro, where it crashed during the welcoming ceremonies to the famous Brazilian aviator, Santos Dumont.

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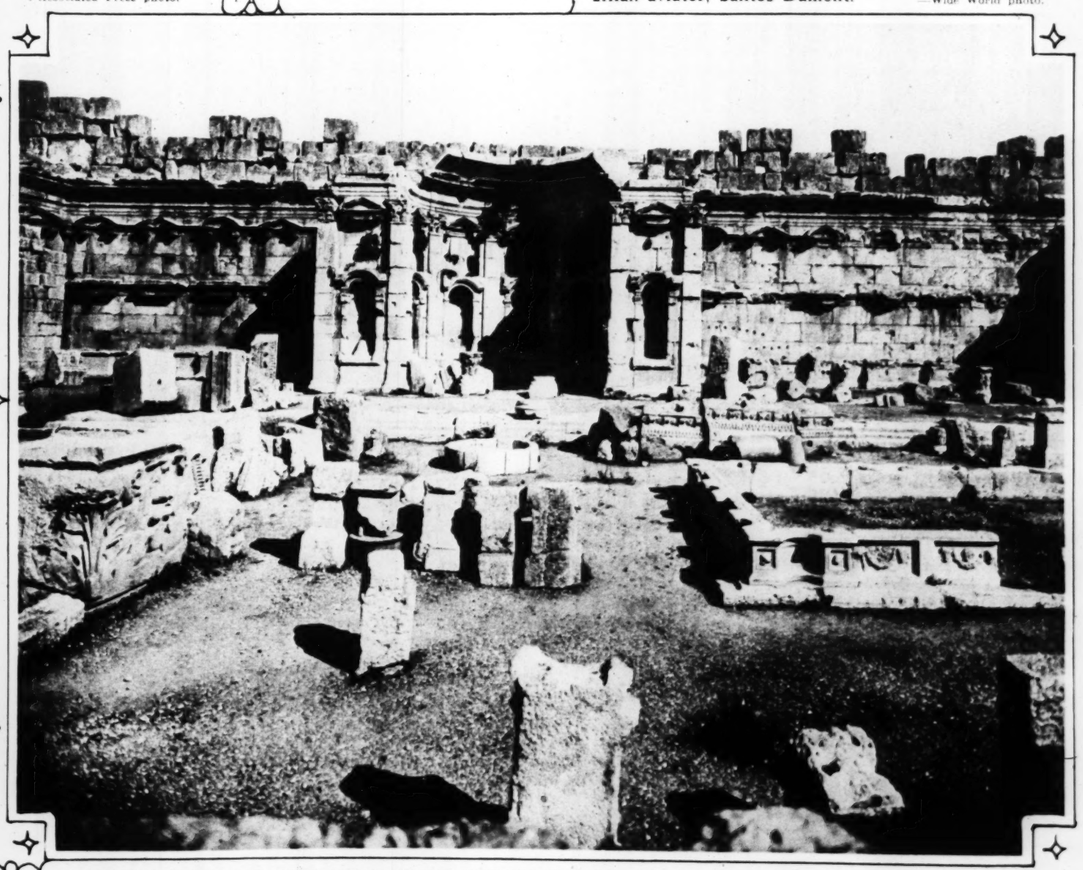
JUST A HINT OF A BUSTLE—One of the new evening gowns being shown in Paris with a particularly low cut back and a trace of a fashion nearly half a century old.

—Underwood & Underwood.



THE S-4 RAISED AGAIN—Diver going down in Long Island Sound to attach cables to special eyes on the outside of the submarine's hull which had been sunk for this test. The S-4, which figured in a tragic disaster, was successfully brought to the surface this time.

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ANCIENT "CITY OF THE SUN" TO BE RESTORED—Here, on the plains of Baalbeck, Syria, were once magnificent temples to Osiris, Jupiter, Venus and Bacchus. Recent earthquakes have toppled much of what had remained of this famed architecture. The French and Syrian governments are to restore the central court of the temple to Jupiter, shown above.

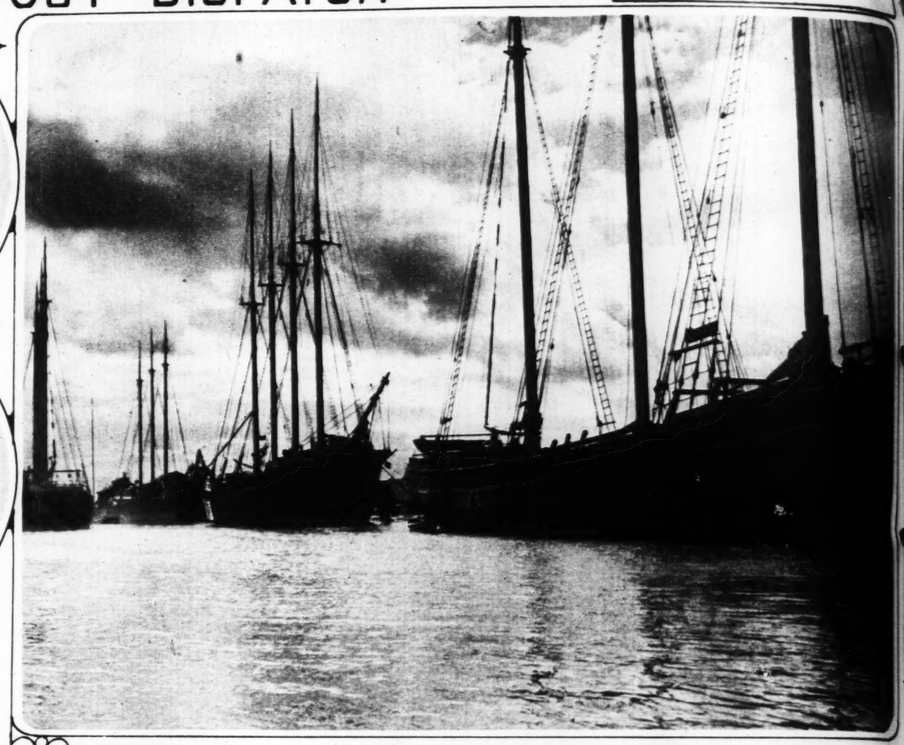
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THE FOUR HORSEMEN OF THE APOCALYPSE—On an architectural base, in arrested motion, stand the figures typifying War, Famine, Pestilence and Death, while from the central eminence the Angel of the East cries to them to do no more hurt. It is the work of Miss Malvina Hoffman, and was photographed when exhibited recently in New York.
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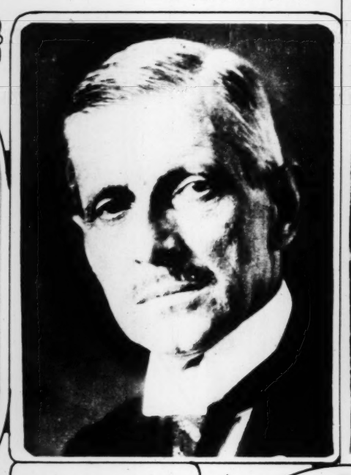
OLD-TIME COIFFURES IN WAX—The upper effigy shows how the Countess of Bessborough, in 1810, arranged her hair. Below, the Empress of Russia in 1807. These models, made from authentic paintings, are on exhibition in London.
—Underwood & Underwood.



FISHING FLEETS IN WINTER HAVEN—Up in Seattle, Wash., now lie the boats which in summer go to Alaskan waters to get fish for American tables. Meantime crews are busy mending nets, repairing sails, overhauling gear, and getting all in readiness for the next voyage.
—Associated Press photo.



Augustana A. Diaz, President of the Dominican Republic, who came to Washington in December for the Pan-American Conciliation Congress.
—Underwood & Underwood.



Robert Haab, chosen President of Switzerland for the year 1929. He was President in 1922, and Vice President last year.
—Underwood & Underwood.



COUSIN OF LATE CZAR—Her Imperial Highness, Grand Duchess Marie of Russia, who has arrived for a visit in the United States.
—P. & A. photo.



THE COAL MAN—Another sculptured work by Miss Malvina Hoffman, carved from a huge block of anthracite.
—Associated Press photo.

Gladys Ingle, stunt flyer, and 212-pound black bass caught off the coast of Southern California, with light tackle, after an hour's struggle.
—P. & A. photo.



FOURTEEN-STRING GUITAR—Pasquale Taraffo, an Italian virtuoso, who has come here from Italy for a concert tour playing a rather unusual instrument.
—Underwood & Underwood.



WINS SCHIFF TROPHY—Lieut. James E. Dyer, U. S. N., who gets this year the cup awarded for the greatest number of hours of flying without an accident.
—International photo.



LIKE SWAPPING HORSES IN MIDSTREAM—Reed Howes, screen star, changing from one plane to another in the course of a flight in California.
—Wide World photo.



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THE NEW CARRIE NATION—Mrs. Maud Wilson of Kansas City receiving a basket of flowers for her courage in smashing up the "soda store" where her husband and one of her children had been getting bootleg liquor. Like her famous predecessor, she wrecked the place with an ax.

—International photo.



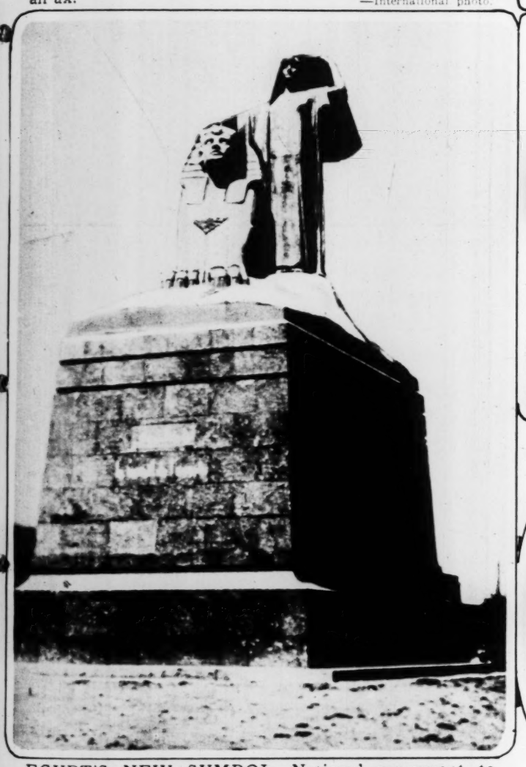
A LOST MONARCH—Photograph made by a German scientist who came upon the brink of an extinct volcano in the Moroccan desert and beheld this king of beasts wandering around in the pit of the crater, trying to find an easy way out.

—Underwood & Underwood.



HIS FIRST BLESSING IN NEW OFFICE—The recently enthroned Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Cosmos Lang, giving a benediction to the throng outside the historic Cathedral after his induction into the highest ecclesiastic post in England.

—P. & A. photo.



EGYPT'S NEW SYMBOL—National monument to celebrate Egyptian freedom erected near Cairo. It is nearly 50 feet tall and was carved from granite by a native sculptor. It is said to be the first statue put up in Egypt since the time of the Pharaohs.

—International photo.





RIVAL BEAUTY QUEENS—The two leading candidates for the honor of presiding over the Havana winter carnival.

—International photo.



YOUTHFUL AVIATOR WINS HONOR—Dick James, with his father, in welcoming parade in New York City after establishing the record of being the first aviator under 21 years (he is only 18) to make the coast-to-coast flight in less than 22 hours.

—International photo.



VIENNA ALL AGLOW—Scene in the Austrian capital during the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the establishment of the Republic of Austria. For one week the city was brilliantly illuminated at night.

—P. & A. photo.



GEORGE WASHINGTON'S DITCH—A view in the famous Dismal Swamp, in Virginia and North Carolina, which has been sold to the Federal Government. This canal was suggested by the first President, who had made a survey of the region.

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HONORING THE INVENTORS OF THE AIRPLANE



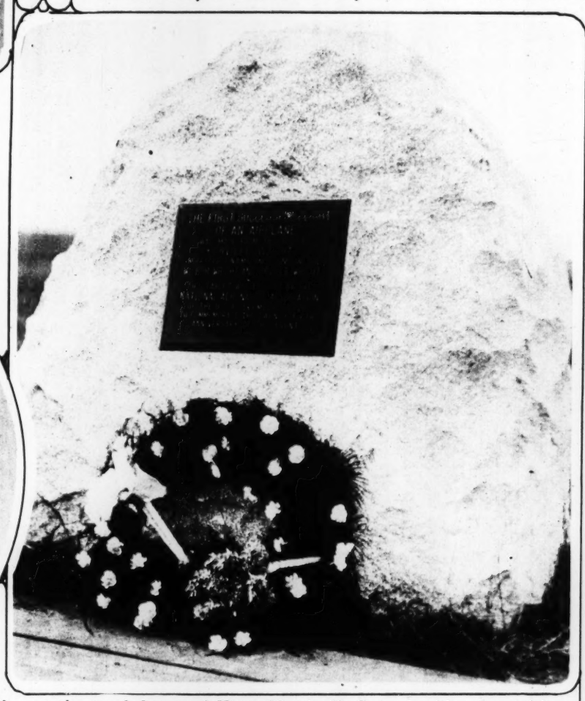
Orville Wright on the dunes of Kitty Hawk, standing beside the memorial tablet which commemorates the first flight of man in a heavier-than-air, mechanically propelled device. This memorial was unveiled December 17, on the 25th anniversary of the achievement.
—International photo.



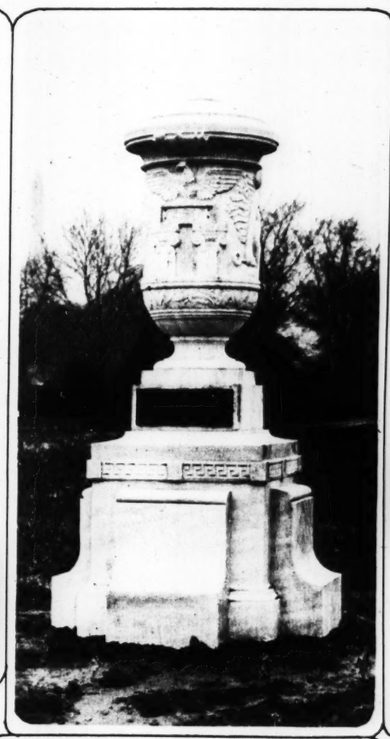
A view of the crowd which attended the dedication. Representatives of foreign nations, as well as many distinguished Americans, assembled here on the sandy stretches of Kitty Hawk, N. C., where the first flight was made by the Wright brothers.



FATHER OF THE MODERN DRAMA—Relief portrait of Hendrik Ibsen which was recently unveiled on the island of Ischia, Italy, where he wrote "Peer Gynt."
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The boulder on the sand dunes of Kitty Hawk, N. C., and tablet erected by the National Aeronautic Association.
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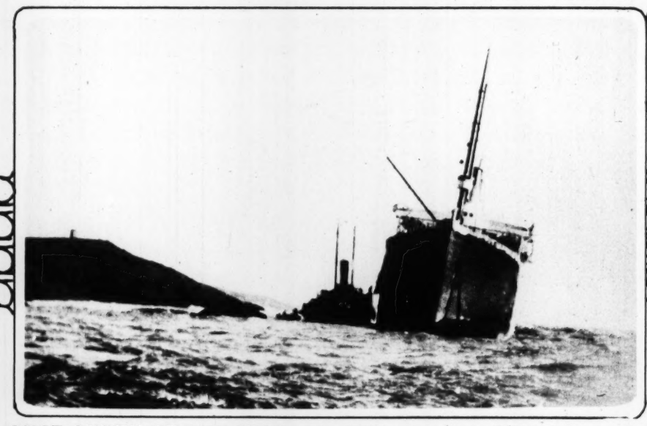
-A GIFT FROM CUBA—Seven-ton urn presented to the United States, and now permanently located in West Potomac Park, Washington.
—Associated Press photo.



GERMANY'S BEAUTY WINNER—She is Fraulein Elisabeth Rodzin, selected in a nation-wide voting contest. She is a brunette.
—Herbert photo.



A CUP, INDEED—Dick Lyons and the famous Elgin trophy which he won at the recent speed boat contests at San Diego, Cal.
—Wide World photo.



ONCE QUEEN OF THE SEAS—The White Star liner Celtic driven upon the rocks near Queenstown, Ireland, in a heavy gale. The passengers were all safely removed.
—P. & A. photo.



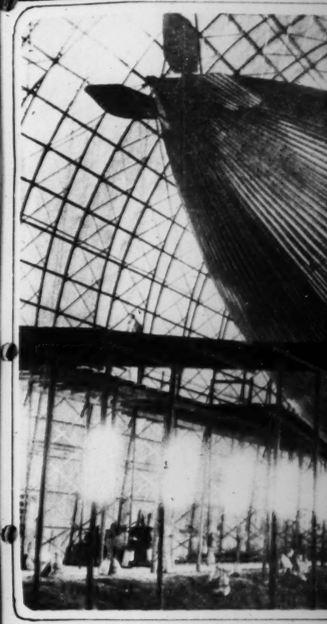
PROGRESS MAY COST HIM HIS THRONE—The King and Queen of Afghanistan, who visited Europe, adopted foreign style of dress and were converted to many western ideas of government, now have the native population in an uprising against the reforms they would put in practice.
—P. & A. photo.



A NEW TEXT BOOK FOR THE CLASS

To the editor of the Post-Dispatch: The inclosed photograph may interest you. It shows my class in Journalism in Austin High School, Chicago, reading sections of the magnificent 50th anniversary number of the Post-Dispatch. Each member of the class is holding a section. After five minutes the section was passed on to the next member, and so on through a delightful period. Many members of the class have been borrowing sections since for reading outside the class, and all have enjoyed this pleasant introduction to your newspaper, and I a happy re-acquaintance with a journal which, on account of its sanity and liberalism, I always delight in reading.

Yours very truly,
H. A. BERENS.



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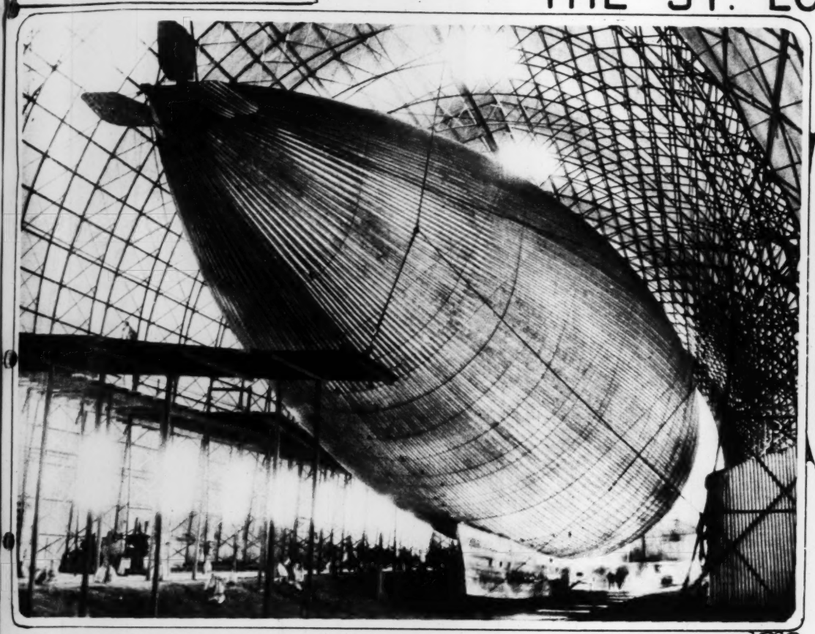
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STEAM-DRIVEN DIRIGIBLE ABOUT READY—The "City of Glendale" in its hangar at Glendale, Cal., where its power plant (shown below) and other fittings have been installed.

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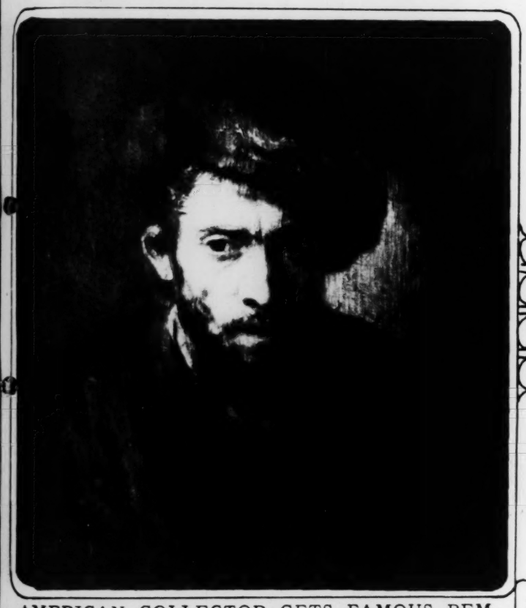
VOICE WON RADIO PRIZE—Miss Hazel C. Arth of Washington, who was awarded first place in the Atwater Kent Foundation contest for amateur singers.

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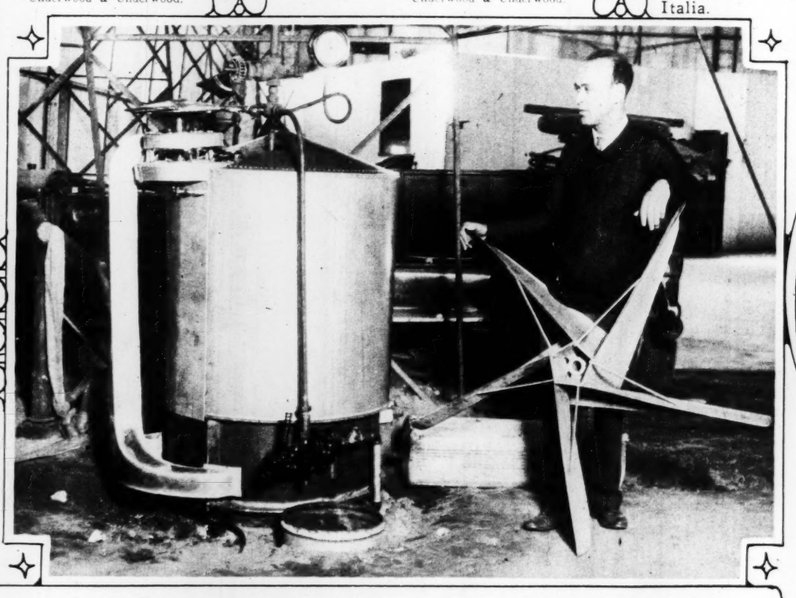


TO ONE WHO DIED FOR OTHERS—Two Norwegian children, in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, unveiling bronze plaque of Roald Amundsen, who lost his life in the Arctic wastes while searching for survivors of the dirigible Italia.

—Wide World photo.



AMERICAN COLLECTOR GETS FAMOUS REMBRANDT—This canvas, "Man With Fur Cap," was recently acquired by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Keeler of Los Angeles. It was painted some 280 years ago and was first brought to this country by Quincy Adams Shaw of Boston.



Steam power plant for the all-metal dirigible shown above, and its odd looking five-bladed "blower" propeller. By blowing away the air in front of the ship, the difference in the pressure at the rear is expected to be sufficient to drive the craft forward, a theory yet to be demonstrated on a practical scale.

—Underwood & Underwood.



ON ANOTHER HONEYMOON—Al Jolson and his bride, the former Ruby Keeler, photographed on departure for Honolulu. They were married in Europe, came home for a brief stay, and now are on the way to the Hawaiian Islands.

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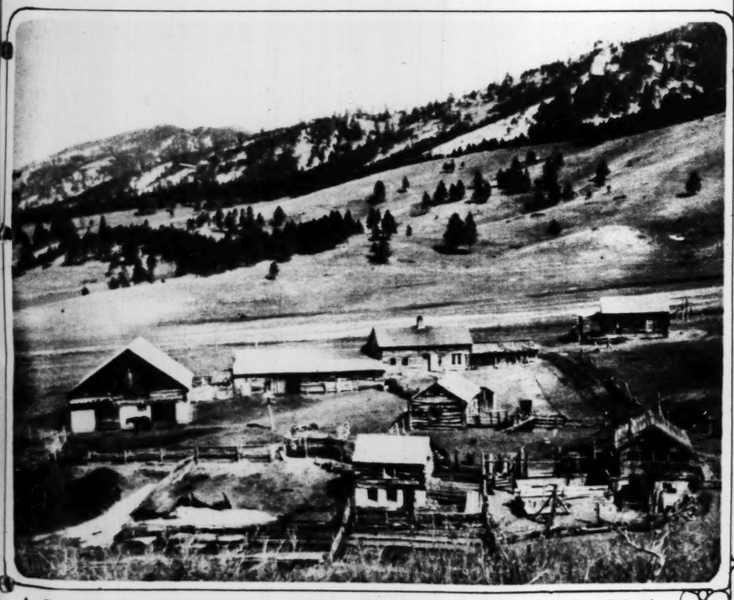
MAKING 70 MILES AN HOUR—Miss Rioco III, photographed in trial spin in San Diego harbor just before she hit an ocean swell with such force that the forward part of the hull was torn away and the craft went to the bottom.

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MUSSOLINI'S YOUNGEST—A snapshot of the Italian dictator with his little son out for an airing and horseback ride along the Appian Way.

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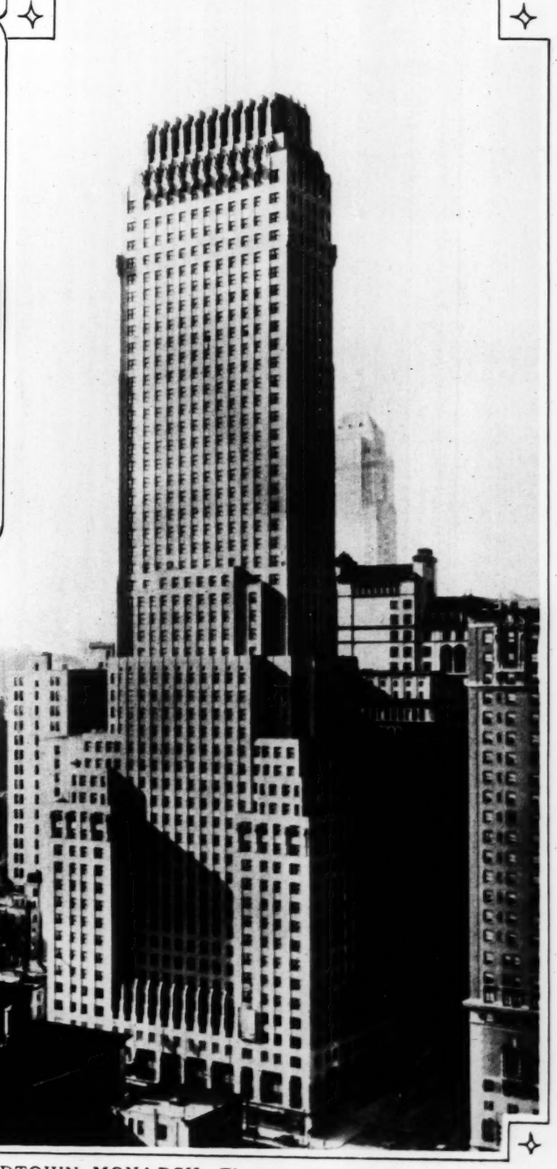
A RELIC OF FRONTIER DAYS—This ranch, built in the Judith Mountains of Montana, with buildings mostly of rough hewn logs, is still in a fine state of preservation.

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COTTON QUEEN OF TEXAS—Miss Margaret Jordan of Waco, in costume worn in pageantry depicting early days in the Southwest.

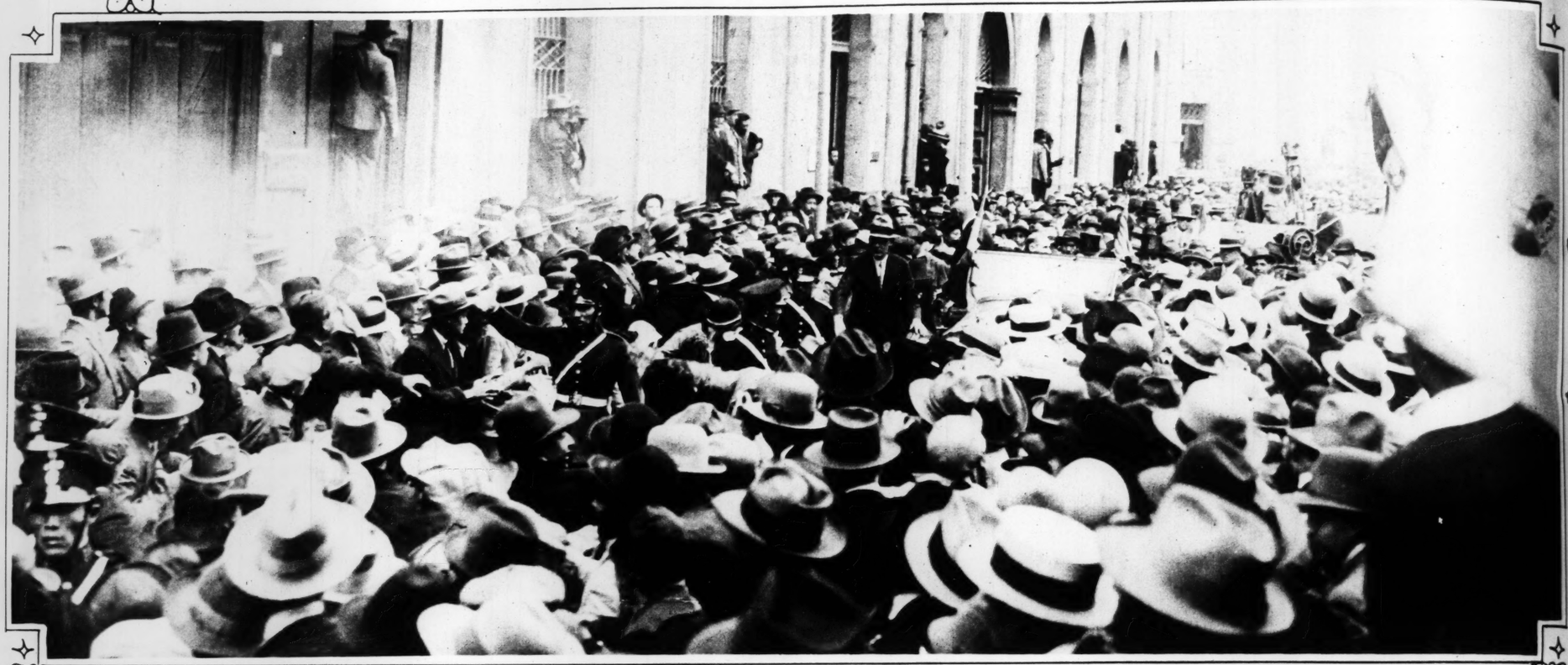
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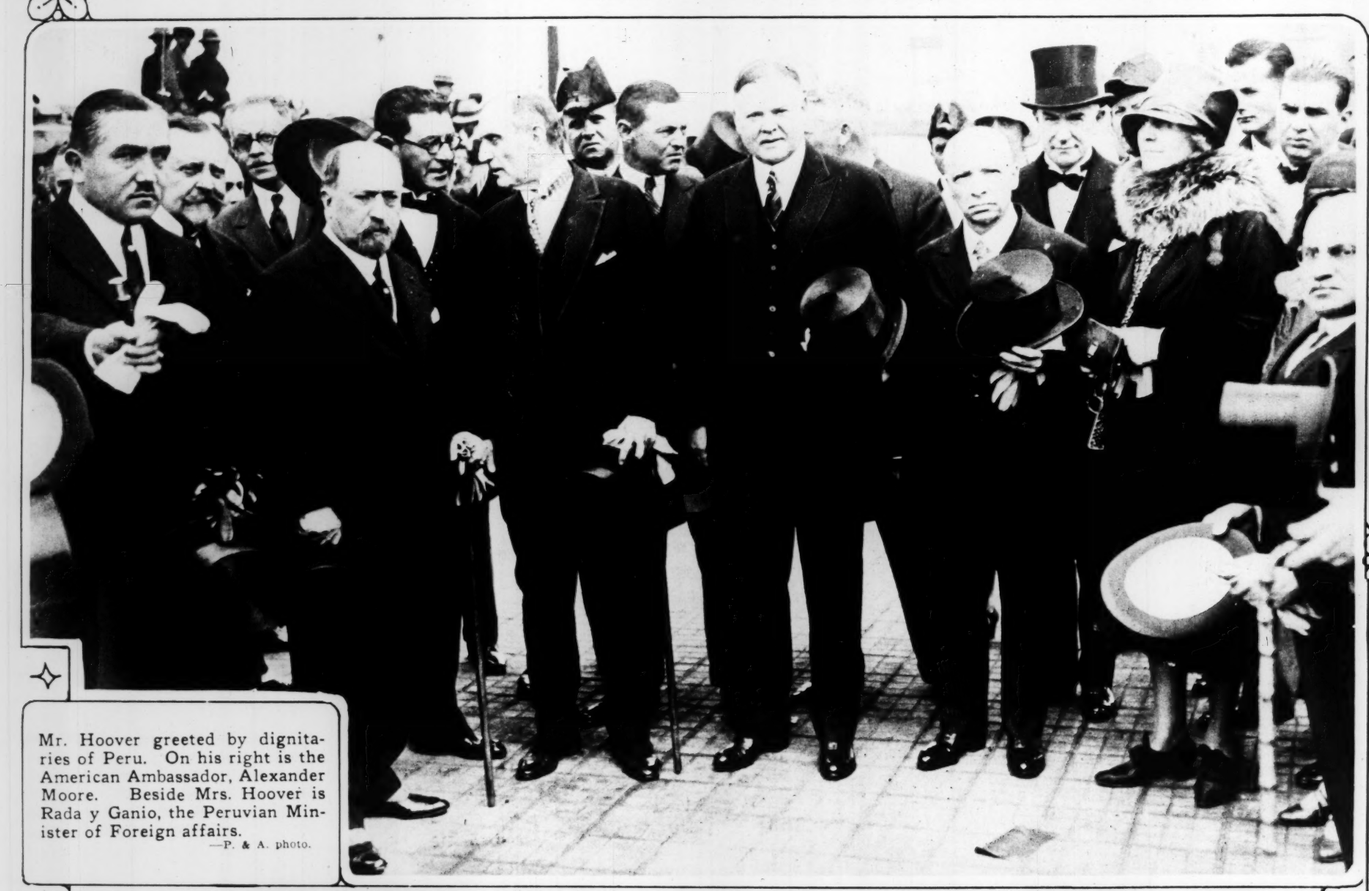
NEW YORK'S MIDTOWN MONARCH—The new 56-story Chanin Building, in the Grand Central section of the city.

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PRESIDENT-ELECT HOOVER'S CORDIAL WELCOME IN SOUTH AMERICA



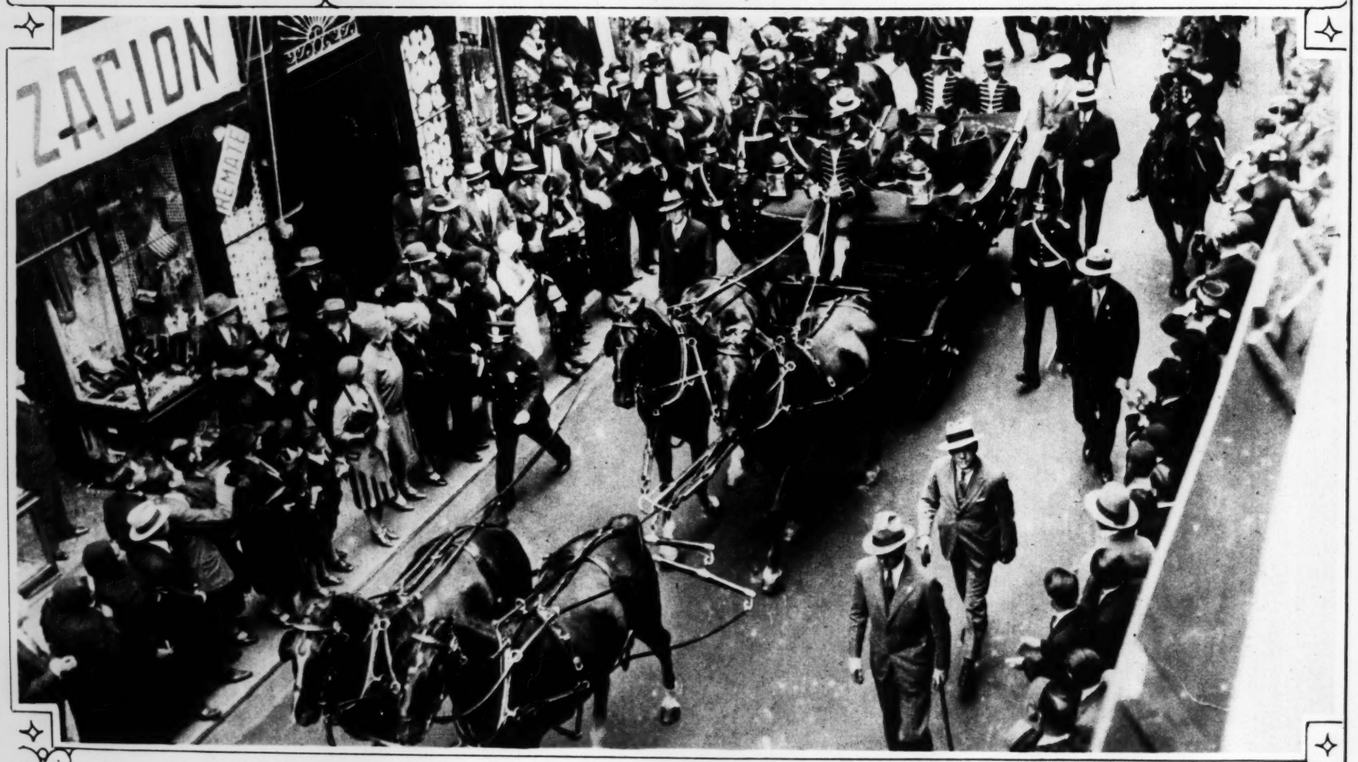
The crowd which surrounded the distinguished visitor when he landed at Callao, Peru. —Associated Press photo.



Mr. Hoover greeted by dignitaries of Peru. On his right is the American Ambassador, Alexander Moore. Beside Mrs. Hoover is Rada y Ganio, the Peruvian Minister of Foreign affairs. —P. & A. photo.



The President of Peru, Augusto B. Leguia, and Mr. Hoover. —International photo.



Riding in state through the streets of the capital of Peru where the citizens warmly received the next President of the United States. —P. & A. photo.

John and Margery Boase of 144 E. Fifth Ave., Columbus, O., were coughing badly when their mother read a REM ad. It helped them so quickly--that now the Boase family all agree there's nothing like REM for coughs.

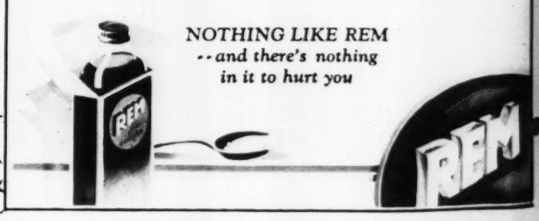


--and brother's, too

Both had coughs---REM relieved both

"John Clifton and Margery both had terrible colds last winter," says Mrs. Clifton W. Boase," and coughed a great deal at night. I gave them several different medicines but they still coughed. Then I saw a REM ad and bought a bottle at Crouse's Drug Store on 5th Ave. near 4th St. It proved wonderful. We used it often through the winter, and my husband used it when he got a cough. This spring, again, John Clifton caught another awful cough but REM brought relief overnight. There surely isn't anything like REM."

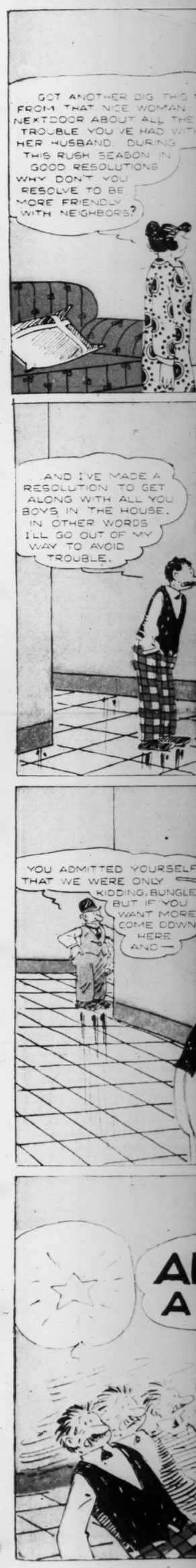
Youngsters quickly find out that REM doesn't taste bad. Mothers quickly find out it's a mighty good cough medicine.



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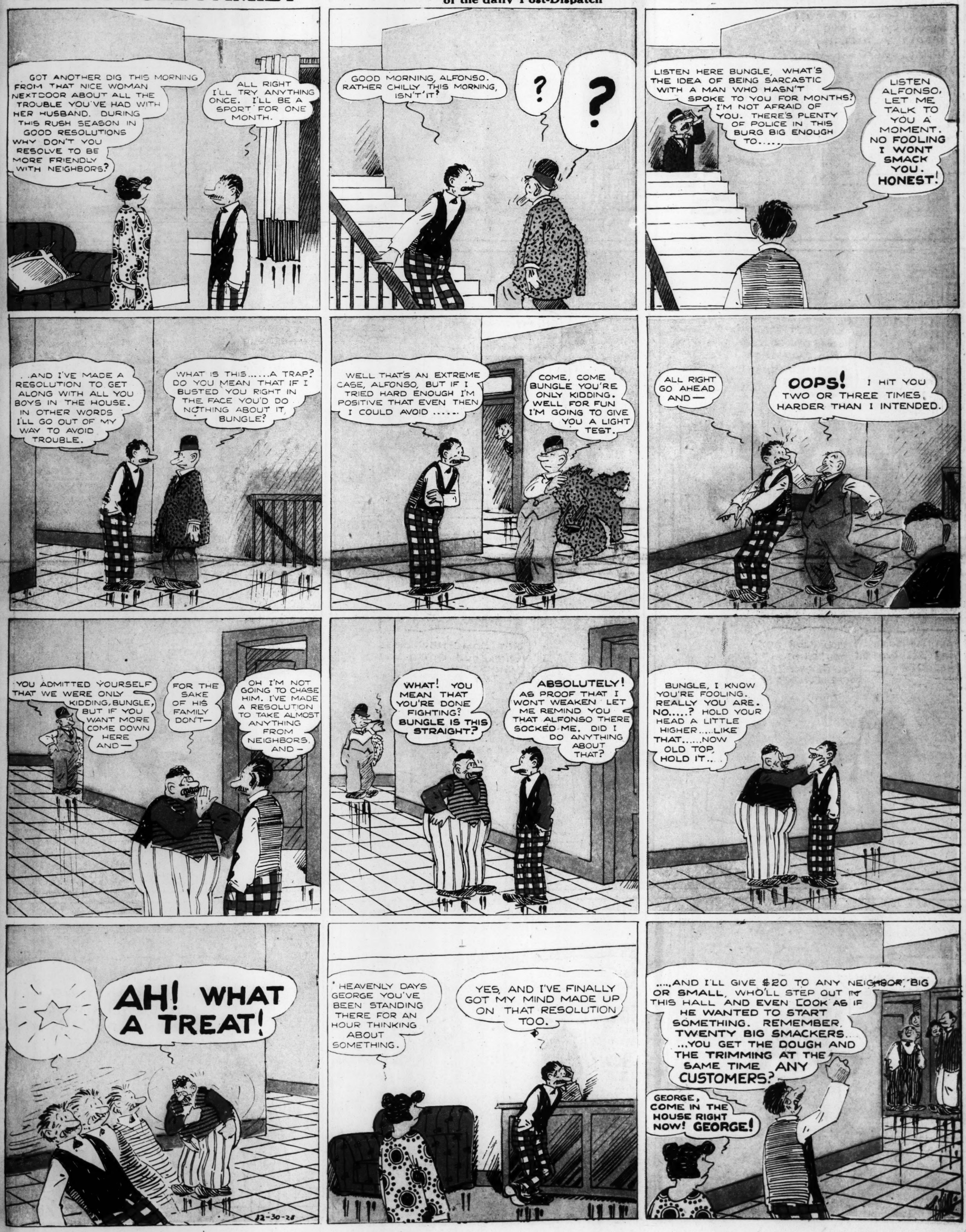
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MR. AND MRS.——

By BRIGGS

I NEVER WAS SO SHORT OF CLOTHES IN MY LIFE ACTUALLY, I HAVE HARDLY A STITCH TO MY BACK

NOT A THING I'VE GOT IS FIT TO WEAR

AREN'T YOU GOING TO SAY ANYTHING, JOE?

YOU BET I'M GOING TO SAY SOMETHING YOU'VE GOT A WHOLE CLOSET FULL OF CLOTHES. WANT ME TO SHOW THEM TO YOU?

OH, MY STARS, MUST WE GO THROUGH ALL THAT AGAIN?

AND YOU'LL NEED A NEW COAT, TOO, I S'POSE?

WHY CERTAINLY I'LL NEED A NEW COAT. CERTAINLY!

BUT SEE HERE, VI, I'M WEARING A COAT THAT'S ON ITS THIRD SEASON

AND MY SUITS ARE ALL WORN THREADBARE

YOU POOR BOY, YOU! WHY DON'T YOU GET YOURSELF SOME NEW ONES?

GET SOME NEW ONES? WHEN I'VE GOT A WIFE WHO'S DRIVING ME TO THE POORHOUSE?

DON'T BE SURPRISED IF YOU SEE MY NAME IN THE LIST OF BANKRUPTS

ALL THIS RAVING JUST BECAUSE I'LL NEED SOME NEW THINGS NEXT SPRING!

WHAT?

DO YOU MEAN TO SAY YOU'VE BEEN TALKING ABOUT NEXT SPRING NOW?

WHY, OF COURSE YOU SILLY, I GOT ALL MY WINTER THINGS MONTHS AGO AND MY WINTER COAT'S AS GOOD AS NEW.

SOME DAY I'LL HAVE A STROKE, MY FINE YOUNG LADY, AND IT'LL BE YOUR FAULT WHEN I DO!!

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THE NEBBS

DADDY, ARE YOU GOING TO MAKE ANY GOOD NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS?

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GEE, BUT THAT NEW YEAR IS A LONG TIME COMING IN_TIME GOES SO SLOW WHEN YOU'RE WAITING FOR THINGS TO HAPPEN

JUST ONE MINUTE MORE_ JUST SIXTY SECONDS!

SOMEBODY'S RAPPING AT THE BACK DOOR, DADDY

I WONDER WHO IT IS?_DON'T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT ME SHOOTING

Rudy Celebrates The New Year

WHY JUST USE THE CALENDAR FOR GOOD RESOLUTIONS?_YOU BETTER START WITH ONE TO GO TO BED EARLY

OH DADDY, THIS IS NEW YEAR'S EVE. LET ME STAY UP TILL THE NEW YEAR COMES IN

WELL, WAKE UP! THERE'S ONLY 5 MINUTES MORE_ LET'S WELCOME THE NEW YEAR IN!

BANG BANG BANG

HAPPY NEW YEAR, JUNIOR!

O-O-OFFICER_ I-I-I WAS J-JUST CEL_

SAY, YOU'RE A CRACK SHOT ALL RIGHT_YOU SHOT THAT BURGLAR IN THE FOOT AS HE WAS CRAWLING IN HEYMAN'S HOUSE

By SOL HESS

THIS IS NO DIFFERENT FROM ANY OTHER NIGHT_ IT'S JUST THE END OF ANOTHER DAY,_ THAT'S ALL!

OH, I WANT TO STAY UP TILL THE WHISTLES BLOW, BELLS RING, AND EVERYTHING_ THAT DON'T HAPPEN OTHER NIGHTS!

LET ME SHOOT THE REVOLVER, PAPA

NO, LITTLE BOYS SHOULD NEVER TOUCH FIRE ARMS_BESIDES THERE'S REAL BULLETS IN THIS GUN

I-I WONDER W-WHAT I HIT? I HEARD GLASS BREAKING

MAYBE YOU SHOT RIGHT INTO SOMEBODY'S HOUSE.?

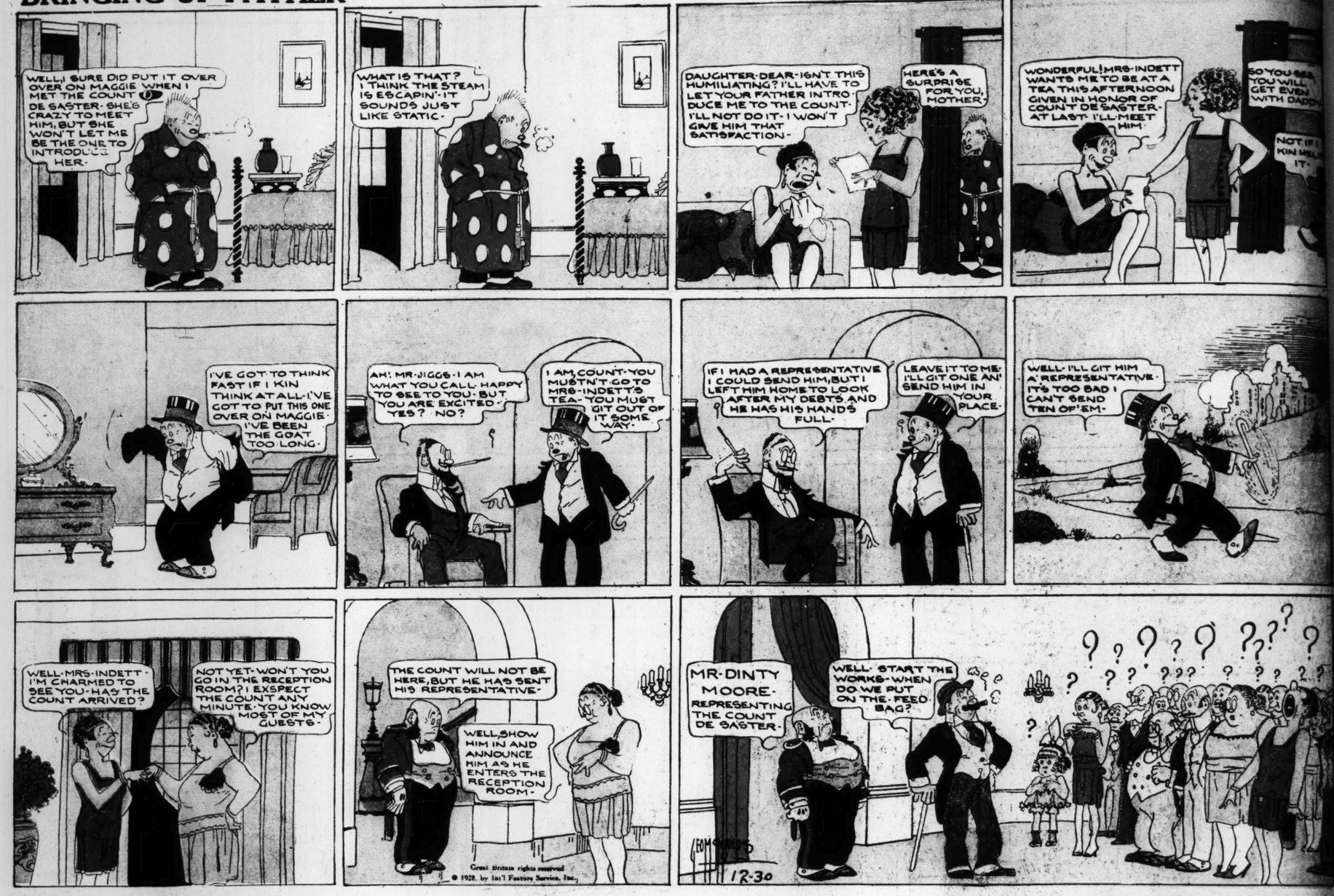
YOU CERTAINLY MUST HAVE DONE A LOT OF SHOOTING IN YOUR DAY.

WELL, I DON'T LIKE TO TALK ABOUT MYSELF, BUT YEARS AGO I BEAT BUFFALO BILL IN A SHOOTING CONTEST_I COULD SHOOT THE WHISKERS OFF A PEACH.

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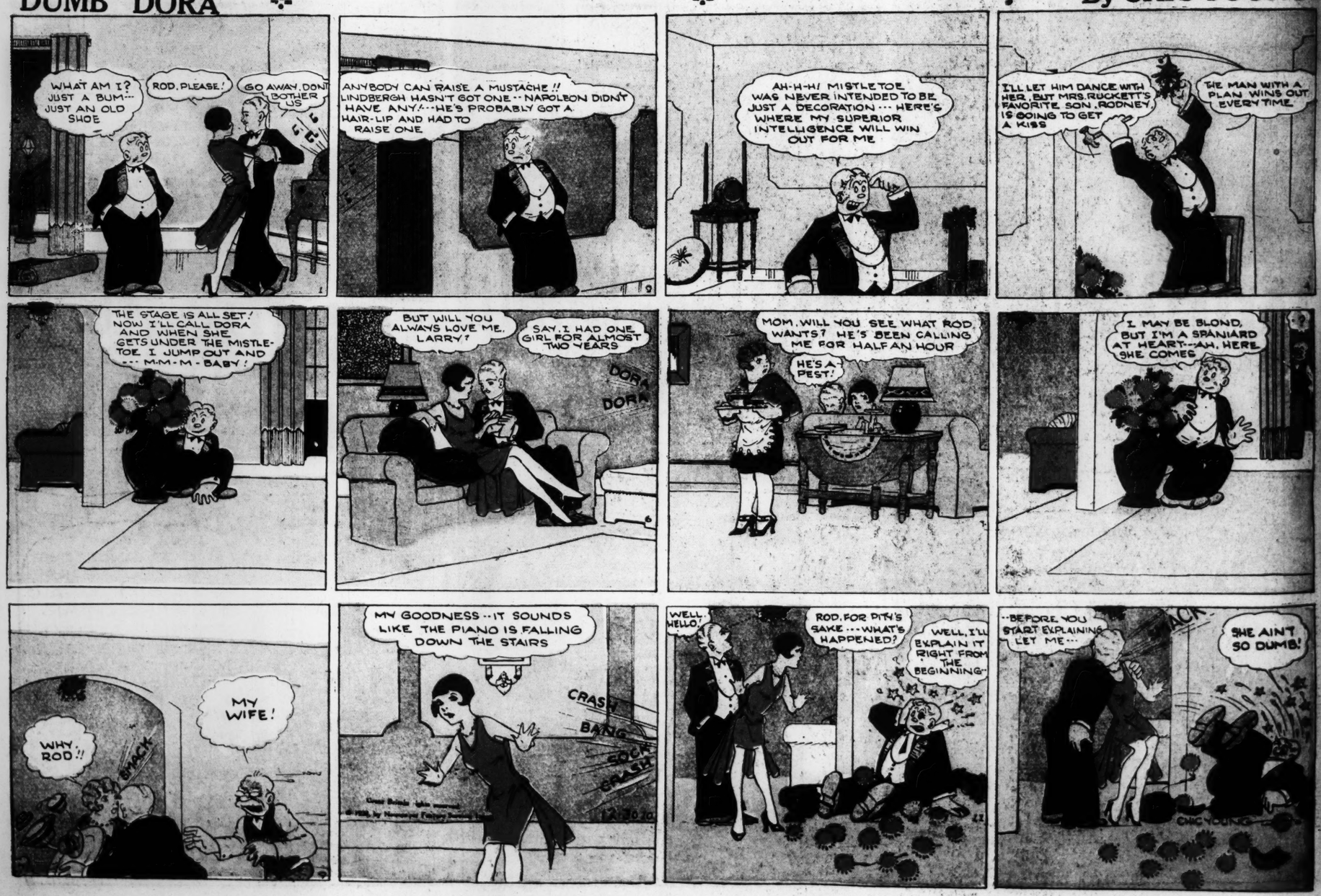
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DRAW IN THE FUNNY FACES



THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

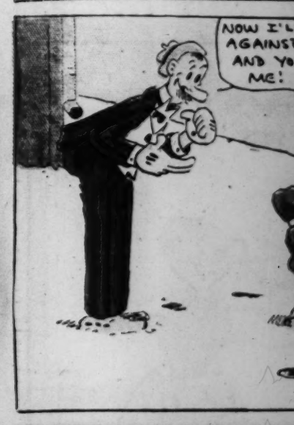
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